Today's Weather. Fair; Light Winds.

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NEWS SUMMARY

THE SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

No appreciable progress has been made in the projected advance southward of the Russian army under Gen. Kuropatkin since the initial success of the movement in the capture of Bentsiaputsze. Fighting of the most stubborn description continues along practically the entire front. Field Marshal Oyama reports the capture of 30 guns from the Russians, and claims distinct successes in forcing the Russians to retire from some of the advanced positions. Gen. Kuropatkin's report to Emperor Nicholas is couched in guarded terms and claims nothing in the accomplished results. Reports from the Russian military commander at Port Arthur show that the Japanese brought a shell fire to bear upon the inner fortress. The garrison, however, is represented to be hopeful of the outcome of the siege.—Pages 1 and 2.

POLITICAL.

Senator Fairbanks speaks in Chicago. On arrival there he had traveled 6,390 miles.—Page 2.

Walter Wellman, in the Chicago Record-Herald, says President Roosevelt's victory in Wisconsin will be followed closely by that of LaFollette.—Page 1.

Tammany commences war on Hearst.—Page 7.

Candidate Davis and party reach Wheeling, where a big meeting is held. Hill objects to hotel room, and is taken to another hostelry.—Page 7.

Secretary Taft speaks at a reception of the Union League club in New York.—Page 7.

Parker and Gorman confer and felicitate each other on the progress of the campaign.—Page 12.

College men are being organized into Roosevelt and Fairbanks clubs.—Page 7.

Col. Samuel Harden Church discusses the issues of the campaign.—Page 6.

Allegheny Republican city and county committeemen meet with Chairman Thomas J. Ford.—Page 6.

LOCAL.

Great meeting in the interest of universal peace results in a plan for a permanent organization here.—Page 1.

John F. Steel will not assume his duties as city treasurer until select council has confirmed his appointment.—Page 6.

President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton university addressed three overflow meetings during the night session of the State Sabbath School association and $21,000 was raised for field workers during the coming year.—Page 8.

Salespeople's assembly offer a reward for former treasurer.—Page 5.

Preacher accused of posing as a country girl and securing money from a Californian by promising to marry him, is arrested.—Page 5.

Protests continue against the schems to ruin the architectural beauty of the court house.—Page 3.

Judge Shafer refused to sustain the claim of George S. Boswell on a contract not to sell stock.—Page 11.

Dr. H. L. Reinecke's plan to reduce the number of public school principals would save money, but will meet with opposition.—Page 5.

Negress stabs her lover to death in East Pittsburgh boarding house.—Page 2.

Maj. J. B. Hamilton, prothonotary of Allegheny county, dies suddenly.—Page 10.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Blair county man loses $1,000 on the old Spanish prisoner game and postal authorities are investigating.—Page 8.

Methodist Episcopal conference at Leechburg holds interesting sessions.—Page 8.

Paymaster beaten and robbed and horse shot dead from under him at Dubois.—Page 1.

SPORTING.

Rhodes' pitching was too much for the Pirates and Cleveland won the game 3 to 2.—Page 9.

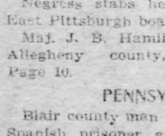
W. C. Fownes, Jr., made lowest score in qualifying round in golf championship tourney.—Page 10.

The Pittsburgh and Cleveland teams will play the final game of the post season series today.—Page 10.

FINANCIAL.

Steel preferred and bonds active, advancing to new high prices. Pittsburgh Coal preferred higher. Regular dividend on National Fire Proofing preferred. Wheat was depressed by larger export-able estimates. Corn and oats were also lower.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER



Fair.

Fair weater is predicted for Pittsburgh and vicinity for today and tomorrow by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 61 and the minimum 48 degrees. The sun rose cloudy at 6:30 and set cloudy at 5:44. The daily report, issued by the local weather bureau, is as follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.29	49	90	N.	Cloudy
8 p. m.	30.54	52	89	N.	Cloudy

Comparative temperature and precipitation for October 13:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	61	64	Mean	54	62
Minimum	48	41	Precipitation	0	0
Nor. tem. 31 years	56		Nor. prec. 31 years	.08	
Def'cy for the day	2		Def'cy for the day	.08	
Ex. since Oct. 1.	10		Ex. since Oct. 1.	.67	
Def'cy since Jan. 1	580		Ex. since Jan. 1.	.80	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Friday and Saturday; light, variable winds.

Ohio—Fair Friday and Saturday, warmer Saturday; light, variable winds.

West Virginia—Fair Friday and Saturday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cincinnati	52 Cloudy	Springfield	58 Clear
Chicago	52 Clear	Parkersburg	56 Clear
Columbus	50 Clear	Kansas City	64 Cloudy
Cairo	60 Clear	Washington	46 Clear
St. Louis	68 Clear	Indianapolis	54 Clear
Memphis	80 Cloudy	Gr'nd Rapids	52 Clear
Nashville	62 Clear	Philadelphia	50 Cloudy
Louisville	45 Clear	Chattanooga	60 Clear
Davenport	58 Clear	St. Paul	58 Cloudy
Dubuque	54 Cloudy	Duluth	54 Clear
Omaha	60 Cloudy	Helena	54 Clear
Little Rock	68 Clear	New Orleans	78 Clear
New York	50 Cloudy	Galveston	80 Clear
Buffalo	44 Cloudy	Des Moines	58 Cloudy
Cleveland	40 Cloudy	Denver	56 PtCldy
Norfolk	54 Cloudy	Pueblo	60 Clear
Vicksburg	70 Clear	Salt Lake	68 Clear

RUSSIANS ARE BADLY BEATEN

Tide of Battle in Manchuria Against the Czar's Forces.

MANY GUNS TAKEN

Japanese Victorious at Every Turn of the Great Decisive Campaign.

RETREAT IN MUCH CONFUSION

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

TOKYO, Oct. 13.—It is yet too early to measure the results of the tremendous struggle which has been waged for the past three days south of Mukden, but all reports reaching Tokyo indicate that Gen. Kuropatkin has been decisively whipped and severely punished. The Russian commander was evidently caught while making his dispositions with his forces scattered and he was beaten before he could recover.

Much depends on the ability and the resolution of the Japanese in applying and following up their advantages. Kuropatkin may turn up in favorable ground and succeed in beating back the Japanese onslaught, but the tide seems against him.

The Japanese yesterday began a desperate effort to turn the Russian right, and if this effort should be successful it will carry disaster to the Russian arms. The struggle around Bensihu is being followed with intense interest here. The Russian force there is estimated at 50,000, its isolation or loss would be a severe blow.

Estimates of the total forces engaged vary. One telegram from Liao-Yang says that the Russians have 260,000 men, with 1,000 guns. The Japanese force exceeds the number engaged at the battle of Liao-Yang.

Continued Japanese Success.

The latest telegrams from the front indicate the continuation of Japanese success. Gen. Oku's left army alone bagged 25 guns. The Russians made two desperate counter attacks against the Japanese left, but were repulsed with heavy slaughter. The Japanese commanders in their reports give expression to their admiration of the valor of the Russians.

The Manchurian headquarters, in a telegram sent today, reports as follows:

"Since the last report our right army has been conducting a vigorous pursuit of the enemy toward the north. The column which was dispatched in the direction of Shihchiao-Tau to intercept the retreat of the enemy from Bensihu continues its operations. The central army continues its attack on the Russians and expects to occupy the line between Tungshankou and Huchiakuchiatzu today. The enemy in this direction appeared to retreat continuously until dusk last evening.

Captured Sixteen Guns.

"A report that a large column of the enemy is moving to the southwest and is commencing the erection of a defense of Chienhuangohiatien cannot be verified. The number of guns captured by the center column of the left army is 16. The right wing of the center column of the left army captured four guns. The enemy's two counter attacks against the center column of the left army were very daring, but these attacks were repulsed with heavy damage, which was inflicted by our artillery and by a heavy infantry fire.

"The right column of the left army, while pursuing the enemy west of the Schill river, captured five guns, making the total number of guns captured 25. The supports and the artillery reserve advanced to Kuchiatzu and vicinity, driving the Russians from Hunchiatien. The right wing of the left column of the center army captured 150 prisoners.

Enemy in Great Confusion.

A telegram covering Wednesday's operations is as follows:

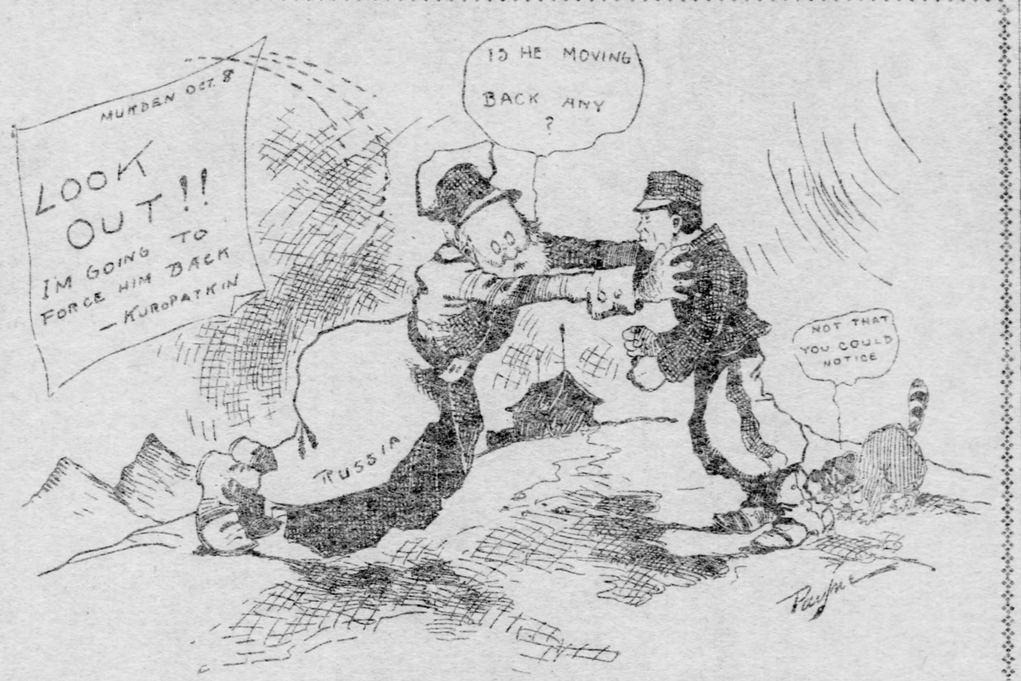
"A line from Maershan to Manchusfan has been reached. There a body of the enemy, possessing guns, was enveloped by us and thrown into great confusion, while another portion of the enemy's forces appears to have fled northward, also in great confusion. The right army has sent a detachment toward Shihchiao-Tau for the purpose of cutting off the retreat of the enemy posted at Bensihu, and this detachment will reach its destination about 3 o'clock this afternoon. The center army captured two guns and eight ammunition wagons at Sankwatshishan this morning.

"According to statements made by prisoners, Gen. Kuropatkin with three divisions was in the rear of the force confronting our right army. The center and left columns of this army, after driving a strong force of the enemy before them, took the Russian positions at Langtouchieh and its vicinity at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and captured eight guns. The enemy fled in a disorderly manner to the north and our forces pursuing him, immediately advanced toward Linhanchiatzo.

"The right column, after encountering fierce resistance, successfully dislodged the enemy who was holding positions north of Yendonuliu. The enemy retired in confusion. Our force was engaged in pursuing the enemy toward Lungwangmiae south of Wulichiah this afternoon. The left column is fiercely bombarding Pevental west of the railroad."

AUSTRIAN FIELD MARSHAL DIES ON BOARD SHIP

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—(Special Cable.)—Field Marshal Gustave Rattzenhofer, one of the most famous officers in the Austrian army, who Tuesday last boarded a North German Lloyd steamer for New York, died suddenly from an attack of heart failure, immediately before the vessel entered the harbor of Plymouth. His body will be returned to Vienna. Rattzenhofer was president of the court-martial which sentenced former Lieut. Count Mattachich, who is now in Paris with Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg, to a long term in prison for forgery.



Nothing Doing in the "Forcing Back" Line.

NEWS EXCLUDED BY CENSORSHIP

Newspaper Artist Returns in Disgust from Battle Scenes in Orient.

RESTRICTIONS ARE RIDICULOUS

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Melton Prior, the well-known newspaper artist, arrived here from the far east, where he has been since the beginning of the war, by way of San Francisco, en route to London. He sailed today on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse.

"I am on my way home," said Mr. Prior, with some evidence of bitterness, "because there was little to warrant the expense of keeping me at the seat of war—or rather, I should say, six miles from it. No newspaper man has ever been permitted, or has ever succeeded, in getting within that distance of the actual scene of hostilities.

"Even in the towns miles away from the actual fighting the censorship is most strict—ridiculously so. On one occasion while passing through Ziroshima, I began to sketch a number of sick and wounded Japanese soldiers who had returned from the fighting, seven miles distant. But hardly had I taken out my sketch book when two policemen appeared, one on each side of me. I did not see them coming; they seemed to me as though they had sprung out of the ground.

"An interpreter I had with me explained that I was sketching the building. Then the two policemen, after holding a consultation, demanded that I leave. They gave me just five minutes to get out, but long before that time I was requested to move on. I managed, however, to obtain sufficient material by taking notes on a small square of paper concealed in the palm of my hand."

"Which of the two contestants is likely to win in the struggle?"

"No one can tell that with any degree of certainty at this stage," he replied. "The war, in all probability, will last for the next two years, and it is, therefore, too soon yet to even attempt to hazard a guess as to which side will win."

Mr. Prior was asked if he thought the day of the war correspondent was over.

"It undoubtedly is, in a great measure," he replied, "if future wars are to be conducted like the present one, to the practical exclusion of newspaper men. Personally, I don't care much. I have seen a great deal of campaigning in my time, and I am getting to be somewhat weary of it all. For the last 20 years seldom have I have an opportunity to remain at home for longer than two months at a stretch."

PAYMASTER IS ROBBED; HIS HORSE SHOT DEAD

Rider Beaten Into Stupor and Robbed of Several Hundred Dollars.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

DUBOIS, PA., Oct. 13.—Robert Holster, paymaster for E. C. Lauer, railroad contractor, was attacked from ambush at 7 o'clock this evening near Sykesville and robbed of $360.

He was on horseback and his horse was shot dead. When the horse fell three men pounced upon the paymaster and beat him into insensibility and relieved him of his money.

He was found shortly afterward by a farmer who was driving into Sykesville. The police here were notified, but have no clue to the robbers.

COMMITTEE HAD NO POWER.

Democratic State Central Committee Will Have to Gather in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The Democratic state executive committee met here today to fill vacancies on the electoral ticket. The committee discovered that it was without power to act and the Democratic state central committee will be called to meet here next Thursday.

Secretary P. G. Meek said the only vacancy on the electoral ticket would be that of Isaac Heisler of Reading. Two Pittsburgh visitors at Republican state headquarters today were William Witherow and Dr. W. H. Walker and Robert Murphy of Johnstown.

VIOLENT ASSAULT ON PORT ARTHUR

Japanese Artillery Constantly Trained Upon the Russian Defenses.

FOOD SUPPLY RUNNING LOW

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Oct. 13.—Conditions at Port Arthur are reported to be desperate. The Japanese are devoting their attack now entirely to artillery practice and have the range of every part of the fort from a dozen different points, at which they have installed heavy siege guns. They are using both lyddite and Shimose shells, which are doing terrible execution.

Refugees who have succeeded in making their way out of the port on blockade runners declare that the food supply is running low and that there is not two weeks' supply of coal in Port Arthur. Every house which has been left intact by the Japanese shells is crowded with sick and wounded and the medical and nursing corps are entirely inadequate to respond to the calls made upon them.

Gens. Stoessel and Fock are determined that they will never surrender the fortress until it is taken by assault.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—Gen. Stoessel, commander of the Russian troops at Port Arthur, telegraphs that the Russians recently recaptured Signal hill. He adds that the Japanese are bombarding the interior of the fortress with new batteries and that the bombardment is becoming more and more violent.

Gen. Stoessel's report to the emperor, which is dated October 5, is as follows:

The Japanese having increased the number of their guns against the north front, commenced an approach against that section of the fortress the night of October 1, but were stopped by volleys. The Japanese then directed their attack on the extreme right flank, assailing Signal hill, which is situated near the sea, and commenced an attack from Sikku hill. Having repulsed our sharpshooters, the Japanese occupied Signal hill. At daylight Signal hill was shelled by Russian artillery, after which our companies drove off the Japanese and re-occupied the position.

The Japanese are using explosives enclosed in boxes provided with Bickford fuses, which they throw like hand grenades. Our garrison is successfully employing similar weapons. Our indefatigable hero Kondratenko is continually inventing fresh means of striking the enemy. The troops continue to show heroism, the wounded returning to the ranks full of ardor.

Under date of October 7, Gen. Stoessel reports as follows:

The Japanese have organized fresh batteries to bombard the inner fortress. One of these batteries is composed of 11-inch mortars. The bombardment is becoming more violent every day. The enemy has received reinforcements of several battalions.

LARGEST HOTEL IN WORLD TO BE BUILT IN CHICAGO

Proposed Structure Will Be 22 Stories High and Is to Cost $10,000,000.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Chicago is to have the largest hotel in the world. It will cost $10,000,00, be 22 stories high and dwarf in size and magnificence, it is promised, any structure of the kind ever erected. The builders and owners will be a syndicate of Chicago and eastern capitalists headed by Otto Young, who will lease them his recently-acquired block of frontage in Michigan avenue, between Hubard and Eldredge places. The hotel will occupy the full property, measuring 400 feet in length by 171 feet in depth.

"According to our present plans," said Lawrence Heyworth, son-in-law of Mr. Young, and manager of his real estate investments, "construction operations will begin not later than two years hence. The property is now tenanted by parties who have leases, which must expire before building preliminaries can be undertaken. Beyond determining that the hotel shall be the finest in the world, as well as the largest, we have mapped out little that is definite. Our arrangements assumed definite shape some weeks ago when we succeeded in interesting important eastern people in the enterprise."

The site cost $3,000,000.

PREHISTORIC MAN ALSO LEFT FOOTPRINTS IN MUD

TUNKHANNOCK, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—A remarkable prehistoric find has been discovered at Dales quarry, Lathrop township, Wyoming county. In removing a "lift" of stone, about four inches thick, the quarrymen were surprised to find the impression of nine well defined human footsteps across the slab. The feet were large and roughly shaped, but the impression is distinct. The rock was found 20 feet below the surface.

TAMMANY MEN MUCH WORRIED

Unusual Activity in Republican Camps in Their Respective Districts.

CASH FOR CAMPAIGN WORK

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square. NEW YORK, Oct. 13.

Tammany leaders are worried by the unusual activity in the Republican camps in their respective districts. They are not willing to admit that inroads are being made into their party lines, but they add that not in recent years have the Republican district organizations been so active as they are this year. They were surprised tonight to learn that the Republicans had money for use on registration days. Tammany has not as yet adopted this policy, saving all of its funds for use on election day.

More than $50,000 was distributed among the 900 odd Republican election district captains in New York county at the various assembly district headquarters tonight. This money is to be used by the district captains to employ men at each polling place to assist the regular party workers in getting the Republican voters on the registry lists and in training them for active work on election day.

In addition to the distribution of money tonight the district captains got a three hours' lecture on their duties on registration days. Arrangements were made also to start six men at work in each election district Sunday morning to call on each voter registered, to see that he was entitled to vote and then to urge him to support the Republican state and national tickets. Those who register tomorrow and Saturday are to be visited next week, before the last two days of registration, and checked up before the second installment begins.

WILL BE NO LET-UP ON DIVORCE QUESTION

Episcopal General Conference Is Still Divided on the Subject of Remarrying.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, Oct. 13.—During a two hours' debate on the divorce question today by the house of deputies of the Episcopal general conference both sides appeared to be as far apart as they were yesterday, and predictions were freely made that no final action would be taken at this time. The Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Parks of New York, in behalf of those who made the minority report on the proposed divorce canon, withdrew their recommendation, but the withdrawal does not mean that there will be any let-up in the fight against the proposal to prohibit clergymen remarrying the innocent person in a divorce suit for infidelity while the former partner lives.

The archbishop of Canterbury and party left the city today on a special train for New York, from which port they will sail for home tomorrow. The duke of New Castle, one of the leaders of the High church party in England, arrived here this afternoon and it is expected he will attend some of the sessions of the general convention.

HEIRESS TO $4,000,000 SAID BENEFACTRESS WAS INSANE

Coroner Scholer So Testified in the Contest of the Will of Miss Dolbeer.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The keenest interest centered in the evidence offered today in the opening battle for millions involved in the will of the beautiful California heiress, Miss Bertha Dolbeer, who very recently killed herself in this city at the Waldorf-Astoria by jumping from a ninth story window.

Gustave Scholer, coroner, testified that the beneficiary, Miss Etta Marion Warren, had directly admitted that Miss Dolbeer had had an unbalanced mind for some time and including that period when she had willed to her $4,000,000.

Police Sergeant Detective Cornelius Sullivan testified that Miss Warren acknowledged to him that her benefactress and friend had killed herself in less than three months after she had affixed her signature to the will.

LAFOLLETTE IS SURE TO WIN

Will Closely Follow President Roosevelt to Victory in Wisconsin.

DEMOCRATS FOR HIM

Their Votes Likely to Make Up for Bolt—Will Dictate Senatorship.

HIS POLICIES TO PREVAIL

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Writing to the Record-Herald (Ind.), from Madison, Wis., Walter Wellman says:

There is war within the Republican party of Wisconsin—war so fierce and bitter as to be almost without precedent in the political annals of our country. But when early next month the smoke lifts from the field of battle there is little doubt it will be found these things have happened: President Roosevelt has carried the state by 50,000 to 100,000; Gov. LaFollette has been re-elected by a plurality nearly as large as that given to the national ticket; all the Republican representatives in congress have been re-elected; the legislature again is Republican by an overwhelming majority, though the Democrats may have made some gains over their past meager strength in the assembly.

The new legislature will be completely under the domination of the man who is now the recognized and victorious leader of Republicanism in Wisconsin. In other words, it is to be a LaFollette triumph all along the line. That this is to be the outcome and that President Roosevelt is not in the slightest danger, is the opinion of every man with whom I have talked, be he half-breed, stalwart or Democrat.

It is not difficult to foresee these other events in the near future: A LaFollette legislature which will at last respond to the governor's will by enacting a complete primary election law, and by creating a railway rate commission with power to reduce freight rates upon all the railways in the state; a LaFollette legislature which will fail to re-elect United States Senator Quarles and choose instead a man named by Gov. LaFollette, probably Isaac Stephenson or Judge Webb.

Ten or twenty thousand Republicans may be bitter enough to make the jump. Compensation for these losses, whatever they may be, LaFollette is pretty sure to find from the Democratic ranks. The Democratic campaign in this state is not very earnest, not very hopeful. Neither Parker nor Peck has a chance and Democratic leaders know it.

"COL. BOB" AMMON LOSES APPEAL TO THE U. S. COURT

Judge Lacombe Refuses to Grant a Writ of Habeas Corpus—Prisoner Interviewed.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Judge Lacombe, in the United States circuit court, today decided the habeas corpus proceedings against "Col. Bob" Ammon. The point raised was identical with that recently interposed in behalf of "Al" Adams, it being urged that as the offence for which Ammon was convicted occurred before the indeterminate sentence law was passed he could not, therefore, be deprived of the commutation for good behavior to to which he was entitled under the old law.

Ammon was asked, at Sing Sing, what he thought of the decision. Said he: "I don't think much of it. There are a lot of us lawyers up here who wouldn't mind touching up both state and federal law on a few points."

DO NOT HAVE TO MARRY.

Immigration Authorities Forgive Beautiful Young English Woman for Posing as a Wife.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Hugh Stanton and the beautiful young English girl whose innocent impersonation of "Mrs. Stanton" got them both in a peck of trouble, will not have to marry each other after all.

Miss Stanton will be released tomorrow and in all likelihood Stanton will be also. Unless some unexpected hitch arises the two will be free to marry whom they individualy please or to live in single blessedness for the balance of their lives if they see fit.

The withdrawal of the decree, "marry or go back," came from Washington, where Lawyer David Phillips carried an appeal to the department of commerce and labor. The decision was reached late this afternoon and has not yet been communicated to Commissioner John J. S. Rogers, head of the local immigration bureau. The couple were not yet informed of their good luck and still remained prisoners in the detention hotel.

Through Lawyer Phillips "Mrs. Stanton" appealed to the department. Stanton made no appeal. "Mrs Stanton's" appeal is sustained and while, presumably, it will be a precedent for the release of the young man, his fate will still rest in the hands of Commissioner Rogers.

WHEELING WOMAN IS INJURED IN WRECK

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Seven persons were injured tonight when a passenger train on the Baltimore & Ohio collided with the rear of a freight train on the Pere Marquette railroad at Seventy-fifth street. None of the injured is seriously hurt. Among them are Mrs. Ella Miller of Wheeling, W. Va., and Elizabeth Petterllase of Germantown, Pa.

Taft Confers With the President.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13.—Secretary Taft spent some time with President Roosevelt today before going to New York. The secretary had just returned from a campaigning tour of the middle west. He said as he left the White House, that he was very sanguine of a Republican victory next month.

GIVE US PEACE, PRAYER OF ALL

Great Meeting at Eighth Street Temple Full of Promise.

PERMANENT SOCIETY

Many Religions and Races Representing in a Gathering of Friends of Arbitration.

ELOQUENT ADDRESSES MADE

Jew and Gentile, Protestant and Catholic, men of the cloth and men whose only religion is an ethical code filled to the doors last evening the Eighth Street temple of the Congregation Rodeph Shalom, and amid enthusiasm seldom witnessed founded in Pittsburgh a society for the promulgation of the doctrine of international arbitration and universal peace.

From representatives of religions, from educators and from men whose prominence in the world of affairs has made their words weighty, came ringing indorsement of the movement, and their splendid earnestness evoked as hearty a response from those within reach of their voices.

Added to their claims in behalf of the abolition of war were messages from President Roosevelt and from Andrew Carnegie. When the promised memorial volume of this meeting is published many other messages of interest in the big movement started here last evening will be found.

Mr. Roosevelt Greets Peace of Justice

Washington, D. C., Oct. 12, 1904.
Rev. J. Leonard Levy, D. D., 1526 Denniston ave., E. E., Pittsburgh, Pa.:

May I through you express my hearty approval of the work the Pittsburgh meeting is undertaking to aid in helping to bring nearer the day when the peace of justice will obtain throughout the world.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

Many Were Turned Away.

The highest expectations of Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of the congregation were outdone in the outpouring caused by his call to the people of Pittsburgh. Long before 7:45 o'clock, when the meeting was called to order, the temple was filled, and the ushers were forced to turn away many eager to attend the meeting. No one who was fortunate enough to gain admittance was disappointed in the events.

The upshot of the meeting was the adoption of the following resolutions proposed by Rabbi Levy:

Resolved, That the best thanks of this meeting be tendered to President Roosevelt for his word of encouragement and for his humane endeavor in behalf of the cause of international arbitration and universal peace. While fully realizing that the spirit of the peace sentiment is necessarily slow, this meeting recognizes the noble efforts of our respected chief magistrate and desires to solicit his further help in behalf of the cause of peace which comes from the establishment of justice and equity.

Resolved, That this meeting returns its grateful thanks to the Hon. John Hay, secretary of state, for his inspiring message delivered to the thirteenth International Peace Congress, which recently convened in Boston. This meeting derives from his eloquent words the hope that the government of the United tates will be found among the civilizing factors making for international arbitration and universal peace, and while grateful to him for his many efforts in the direction of justice and equity, ventures to hope that he will continue to place his powerful influence on the side of universal peace.

Peace Headquarters in Pittsburgh.

Resolved, That the presiding officer and the various vice presidents of this meeting form themselves into a committee to be convened by the mover of these resolutions and that they take steps to effect an organization with headquarters at Pittsburgh, and which shall have for its chief object the creation of public opinion and the strengthening of the sentiment in behalf of international arbitration and universal peace.

The meeting opened with an organ selection by W. K. Steiner. Rabbi Levy followed with prayer and introductory remarks and introduced as the presiding officer, Chancellor S. B. McCormick of the Western university, who made an address. The Hon. John Wanamaker followed. Others who spoke included the Rev. Charles Wagner of Paris, author of "The Simple Life;" Prof. X. Koenig of the University of Bordeaux; Dr. W. Evans Darby, secretary of the British Peace society; Joseph Elkington, a Quaker, of Philadelphia; Prof. Garrett of Harvard university; the Rev. A. A. Lambing, the Hon. Josiah Cohen, and the Rev. S. Edward Young. The addresses were varied with singing by the choir and the audience, and at the conclusion "America" was sung by all present.

Dream Becoming a Reality.

In his introductory remarks Rabbi Levy said:

Twenty-six hundred years ago from the lips of the Hebrew prophets there was expressed the language of a dream which is slowly but surely becoming a reality. Twenty-six hundred years ago Isaiah and Micah, the immortals of Israel, sang their sweet song foretelling the day when "swords should be beaten into plowshares and spears into

CARNEGIE CABLES HIS DELIGHT

Clashmore, Scotland, Oct. 10, 1904.
Rabbi Levy, Pittsburgh, Pa.:

Delighted Pittsburgh founds peace society. Until we cease killing each other in war like wild beasts, claim to civilization unfounded, for this proclaims us barbaric.

CARNEGIE.

...ning books, when nation would not lift ...sword against nation and when they ...learn war no more." In harmony ...this statement, later worthies of the ...e if Israel sent forth to the world the ...message that it was the will of God ...peace should prevail and war should ...appear. During these many long ages ...greatest leaders of men have toiled and ...striven in the direction of establishing among ...mankind justice and righteousness, in the ...that the human family would be knit ...the bonds of peace.

"Tonight in this house of God, the Temple ...Rodeph Shalom, which, as you know, ...bears the 'peace-seeker,' we renew our ...pledge to the holy past, and it seems altogether fitting that here in the presence of ...men of various creeds, we should come together in the endeavor to strengthen the sentiments that make for peace and which will ultimately make war an impossibility. From this meeting shall go forth the expression that every war is fratricidal in character. From here shall go forth the word that those who are bound together under the Fatherhood of God must develop a brotherhood on earth. From this gathering shall go forth the indestructible appeal that the day of bloodshed and battle as the means of settling international disputes must pass away, and the day of arbitration, of appeal to the courts of justice, must be ushered in, if religion is a factor in human life and God is a reality to the human soul.

On assuming the presidency of the meeting Chancellor McCormick said in part:

The dream of universal peace has been with mankind as long as the dream of universal happiness, but it has remained for the nineteenth century to conceive of the plan by which that dream might be made to bring about the desired results.

It seems to be a sort of irony of events, such as history sometimes furnishes, that the leaders in the The Hague conference should be those who would be the first to be plunged into war. The head of the Russians, at whose call the conference was held, is at this moment engaged in a struggle with another nation. Great Britain, active in the conference, was shortly afterwards plunged into the South African war and our own country, which took great interest in all the proceedings, has been through a conflict that has changed the map of the world.

Mr. Wanamaker paid a tribute to Rabbi Levy in his remarks, and referring to the war between Russia and Japan, he deplored it as "the most terrible carnage, when all shall have been told, that the stars have ever looked down upon. This war is in progress now in this world which we call civilized."

The Rev. Charles Wagner, the Paris preacher whose philosophy has been widely read, was introduced by Mr. Wanamaker as a personal friend. In his introduction he told of Mr. Wagner starting over a year ago to study English for the express purpose of coming to America. Mr. Wagner's address was one of the most successful of the evening. His earnestness carried with him the sentiment of all who heard him speak. He said:

Bearing Message of Peace.

Today in this temple, this synagogue, one of my grandest dreams is accomplished. I have longed to come to America to speak to Americans and peace is the message I would bear. War comes not from forts, not from strongholds nor warships, but from the heart of man. Therefore we must effect the change and then we shall have peace.

Let us not be discouraged if the movement does not seem as yet to possess the greatness which we desire. There is always a very small beginning of the greatest things of the world and this beginning we have made.

I have placed as the highest aim of my life that I should be a peacemaker. I would always unite those who are fighting. The interests of one are the interests of all, Catholic, Protestant and Jew, rich and poor, Frenchman, German or Englishman. As of individuals so of nations. If good comes to one it benefits all.

Ignorance—that is our curse. We know too little of each other. Nations do not understand one another. We walk in the darkness and as we behold in the shadows the approaching forms of others we fear they are enemies when if we knew the truth we would recognize them as friends.

America Started the Movement.

Prof. Koenig, who was the next speaker, said:

It has been my life work to teach Hebrew. I chose it deliberately because in the prophets I found the basis of what we all desire. They taught justice and peace and through justice can be found the settlement of all the difficulties that harass the lives of nations.

Dr. W. Evans Darby, secretary of the British Peace society, told of the early efforts to form peace societies, and claimed that this is the centennial year of the first one, formed in America by David L. Dodds of New York. The oldest one to continue is the one he represents, and he gave the greeting of that one to the latest one, Pittsburgh's. He spoke of the pleasure he felt in visiting Pittsburgh, because so many of the people of Wales and England whom he knew had come here.

Joseph Elkington, a member of the Society of Friends, Philadelphia, preached the doctrine of non-resistance in an impassioned manner. He said that the policy of William Penn with the Indian would soon settle international troubles.

Prof. Garrett took exception to the statement that a soldier goes forth to lay down his life as a sacrifice. He said he goes rather to make as many others as possible lay down their lives.

Father Lambing said:

In our times there has arisen an awful disregard for human life. The thirst for gold is one instance. Consider for a moment the sacrifices caused by the railroad wrecks. They more than equal the loss of life in wars. But there is in war a loss of the sentiment of the sacredness of life. I well remember at the beginning of the civil war when Col. Ellsworth was killed an acute shock was given the community. A few others were killed and the sensation produced was profound, but as the slaughter went on there grew up a deadening of the heart to such feelings, and the war produced men coarser and society was hurt by the changed heart. War deprives a country of its able-bodied men. It means desolation of families and considering it merely from a commercial standpoint it is a loss of the most severe character. It hinges upon the state great burdens for the support of dependents left without those who should sustain them.

Delendum Est Bellum.

Judge Cohen spoke effectively on the uniting of all creeds in the once cause and the nobleness of the purpose for which they had assembled.

The Rev. S. Edward Young followed, and said in part:

No minister has ever done as much for Western Pennsylvania as has Dr. Levy in calling this meeting tonight. Its effect is sure to be widespread and its influence potent.

Tonight's meeting repeated in every city and town of Europe and America would give a quietus to the war drum. As Cato the Censor wove into each conversation, concluded each speech with his sentence, "Delenda est Carthago" be our battle cry "Delendum est bellum," not "Carthage must be destroyed," but "war must be destroyed."

War killed at least the Greek republic, when it had slain her strongest, bravest men and had left scullions for citizens. War slew Rome by depriving the Eternal City of her best citizenship. Bonaparte lowered the stature of the average Frenchman one inch by marching the tallest men to their death. Kipling has a keen verse concerning the price Britain has paid for her supremacy on the sea:

"We have fed our sea for a thousand years
And she calls us—still unfed—
Though there's never a wave of all her waves
But marks our English dead."

A sobering realization comes to Americans sometimes of the cost of the civil war with its million of our best men.

Peace can come. It is no dream, this scheme of universal peace. Over two hundred cases have been arbitrated during the past two and one-half generations that in other times would have threatened war.

Among those on the platform, in addition to the speakers, were Dr. W. J. Holland, D. L. Gillespie, Mayor W. B. Hays, John A. Brashear, President Lippman of the congregation, H. J. Heinz and Judge J. M. Kennedy.

At a luncheon given by Rabbi Levy yesterday afternoon the guests were John Wanamaker, Pastor Charles Wagner, Prof. X. Koenig, Dr. Darby, H. J. Heinz, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Guckenheimer, Allegheny; Morris Einstein, Allegheny, Mrs. David Logan, New York, and Charles H. Joseph.

H. J. Heinz entertained the out-of-town guests at dinner in the evening. Most of the guests who had come to Pittsburgh for the meeting left the city last night.

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Large's Whiskey Gets Highest Award.

Special Telegram to the Gazette.

ST. LOUIS, MO., Oct. 13. Large Whiskey, the Monongahela Rye, distilled by The Large Distilling Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., was today given Grand Prize by the World's Fair judges.

NEGRESS STABS LOVER TO DEATH

With Knife Dripping Blood, She Dared Others to Take Up Quarrel.

GAVE POLICE A HARD FIGHT

Standing in the middle of the room, with blood dripping from her knife, and ready to deal another fatal blow, Julia Oiler, alias Ellis, a negress, aged about 25, watched her lover, Samuel Brown, fall to the floor and expire at her feet at their boarding house in East Pittsburgh last evening. Like an avenging Nemesis, the woman stood with ready knife and dared anyone in the room to take up Brown's cause or interfere with her.

According to the witnesses of the affray, the woman is a cocaine fiend and yesterday afternoon took a large amount of the drug. When Brown, who was a teamster and about the same age as the woman, returned home from work he remonstrated with her for using the drug and a quarrel resulted. Henry Bralzer, Ted Johnson and Walter Jackson and his wife, who conduct the house, were in the room.

While quarreling Brown stood with his back to the stairs leading to the cellar. Suddenly, and before the others could realize what was occurring, Brown plunged backward down the stairs into the cellar. He reappeared almost immediately, and with a cry that he was stabbed to death he fell at the Oiler woman's feet with a knife wound in his heart.

The others attempted to remonstrate with her for striking Brown, but she quietly announced that with the knife with which she slew Brown she would fight any person in the room.

On finding no one to take up the fight, the Oiler woman went to a room in the second story of the house and sat in a dark corner. The men in the house notified Chief of Police Andrew Simons, who, with Policeman Arthur Bennett, went to the house. On locating the woman in the dark room a terrific struggle ensued, in which the woman tried to cut the officers. On being overpowered and handcuffed she screamed and fought like a tigress and the officers were forced to carry her to the lockup. She quieted down on being placed in a cell, and commanded the keeper to bring her five ham sandwiches.

The murder occurred in that part of East Pittsburgh borough known as "Whitechapel," because of the many hold-ups and murders which have occurred there. Brown had been living in Brinton for some years, but the Oiler woman, who claims her home is in New Martinsville, W. Va., has only been living in the negro settlement for about eight months. She formerly lived in Tunnel street, Pittsburgh. The woman has an 8-year-old daughter living with a negro family in Wood alley, Braddock.

Brown's body was taken to an undertaking establishment in East Pittsburgh. The police entered an information before Justice Ira Fix charging the Oiler woman with murder. She will be brought to jail today.

PARK FOR THE BLUFF.

Finance Committee Declines to Transfer the $10,000 Appropriated for This Purpose.

Bluff street will not lose its park. The finance committee of councils yesterday declined to transfer the $10,000 set apart for this improvement to the bureau of highways and sewers. Provision was made to transfer $46,841 26 to the highways fund.

The committee recommended favorably the ordinance authorizing the sale of the engine house property in Fouth avenue and in Liberty avenue, adjoining the Wabash station, to the Wabash-Pittsburgh Terminal Railway Company at $54,550. The committee also recommended the ordinance authorizing the purchase of four lots in Fifth avenue, in the Soho district, at $15,500, for a site for a public bath house. The site fronts 96 feet in Fifth avenue, with a depth of about 81 feet.

Transfers ordered were $6,000 from the balance in the general fund to the appropriation for the repaving of Penn avenue from Highland avenue, north; $11,000 from the gasoline mantle fund to the fund for the bureau of lighting; $4,000 from the bureau of fire to the bureau of health; $4,400 from the bureau of fire to the general office of the department of public safety; $54,550 from the sale of the First ward engine house property to the bureau of fire to be used for an engine house and chemical house in the First ward.

SCHOONER ON THE ROCKS.

Vessel Is Driven Aground in a Storm Off Massachusetts and Loss of Life Is Feared.

CHATHAM, MASS., Oct. 13.—A terrific sea, the result of a three days' northeaster, drove onto Chatham outer bar tonight an unknown three-masted schooner which the life savers were unable to reach and which they fear will go to pieces before morning. The vessel had lights in the cabin when she struck the bar, but the life savers were unable to get any response to their hails nor answers to their signals.

A three-masted vessel was sighted just before dark tonight passing Nauset Lights, 10 miles to the north. The vessel was going south before a stiff northeast breeze and was apparently a lumber-loaded schooner, bound from some eastern port.

GAIN IN REVENUES.

Income of the City Is $34,000 Greater Than Last Year.

Controller Larkin yesterday issued a comparative statement of the revenues of the city from the first of the fiscal year to September 30, for 1903 and 1904.

The total for 1903 was $6,837,723 08 and for 1904, $6,871,873 92. He explains that the net gain of $34,000 is made possible by the increased collection of taxes, amounting to $134,000, and smaller gains in switches, markets and charities. The principal losses were in the mayor's office, liquor licenses and returns from street railways.

Marshall Leads Chess Tournament.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The third round of the chess tournament was played tonight, and Marshall is in the lead with three straight games won. In tonight's play Elsenberg defeated Schweitzer, Marshall won from Jaffee, Judd defeated Kemeny, Uedemen defeated Dr. Shrader and E. Schrader won from Mlotkowski.

DIED.

HOWE—Suddenly, on Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 7:30 p. m., at her residence, McIntyre avenue, Allegheny, MRS. CHARLOTTE ABBE, wife of the late John Howe, aged 65 years 9 months 19 days.

Notice of funeral later.

(New York papers please copy.)

Wagner Night, Damrosch Orchestra, Exposition. Tonight. You will come.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe in "Hamlet," 7:45 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Emmet Corrigan and the Great Lafayette, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—The Harry Davis stock company in "Lord and Lady Algy," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Billy B. Van in "The Errand Boy," 8 p. m.

BIJOU—Selma Herman in "Wedded But No Wife," 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"At the Old Cross Roads," 8:15 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Fay Foster's burlesque company, 2 and 8 p. m.

STAR—Vaudeville performances at 2:30, 3:30, 7:30, 8:30 and 9:30 p. m.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Concerts by Walter Damrosch's New York Symphony orchestra, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

GEN. KUROPATKIN IS DETERMINED

Russian Commander Orders His Troops to Stubbornly Defend Their Positions.

DESCRIBES FIERCE FIGHTING

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 13.—Gen. Kuropatkin reports that during the fighting yesterday and today the advance troops were reinforced from the principal positions; that this evening the left wing was ordered to fall back on the main position, and that about 2 p. m. the center also was obliged to fall back. The full text of Gen. Kuropatkin's report, which is dated October 13, and addressed to the emperor, is as follows:

Last night and throughout today the Manchurian army was engaged in a fierce fight. The Japanese concentrated a great force against our dispositions on the center and right wing. We carried on the fight from advanced positions, and it became necessary to support these advance guards from the main position. The right wing held its advance position and only at nightfall, under my orders, retired to the principal position. In the center the troops were forced to retire from the advance to the main position about 2 p. m.

According to reports and to my own observations, the fighting was most desperate. We repulsed numerous Japanese attacks and ourselves assumed the offensive. The heroic defense of its advance position by the Tomsk regiment is especially deserving of mention.

During the night our troops on the right flank recaptured at the point of the bayonet a village which had been lost the previous evening. On the left flank severe fighting for the possession of a pass has been continued. Our troops scaled almost inaccessible rocks and held their grounds for two days, gradually approaching the enemy.

I do not yet proceed the report of the result of today's fight on the left wing. Under the conditions of the fighting the losses are necessarily considerable. I have ordered that the positions we now hold be stubbornly defended tomorrow.

Gen. Sakharoff, in a dispatch to the general staff, dated October 11, gives some details of the operations of Monday and Tuesday. He says:

The Manchurian army October 10 strengthened its hold on the positions taken the previous evening, five miles south Shakhe river. At about 3 in the afternoon, October 10, the enemy took the offensive between the Mandarin road and the village of Toumytsa north of Yentai, with about a division of infantry and several batteries of artillery. The enemy's attack was checked by the fire of our advance guards. They maintained an artillery bombardment until the evening.

On October 11 the Japanese attacked the Russians on both sides of the railroad and north of the Yentai mines. A fierce fight raged all day long and by night the greater portion of the position occupied by the Japanese in Khona pass had fallen into the hands of the Russians, who, however, at 5 in the evening, had not yet succeeded in capturing a wooded hill constituting the key to the position.

Throughout October 11 the Russians maintained the offensive along the entire front against the Japanese advanced positions, except at some points where they were obliged to retire to their main positions.

THE RUSSIAN ARMY IS IN FULL RETREAT

Was No Match for the Japanese Infantry in a Hand-to-Hand Conflict.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Standard's correspondent in the field with Gen. Kuroki, telegraphing October 11, says:

"After two days' heavy fighting the enemy's resistance was broken this afternoon, and the Russians are now in full retreat."

Describing a fight from a rock, surmounted by a picturesque temple, the correspondent says:

"At times it was a hand-to-hand conflict. The Russians fought hard and desperately, but were no match for the Japanese infantry. On the other hand, we suffered at a disadvantage. Our guns were out of range and were constantly reduced to silence for the greater part of the day. A timely mist enabled the Japanese to draw near, comparatively, without damage, to the hills of the Russian position and from which they were forced to withdraw. Their retirement was very leisurely and the guns in particular remained on the ground longer than seemed safe."

The Daily Mail's Tokyo correspondent asserts that the pursuit by the Japanese is working great havoc to the dissplrited Russians, who left their dead and wounded on the field. The Russian forces are estimated at 200,000, with 1,000 guns, and the correspondent says the fighting was the most severe and terrible of the whole war.

ADMIT ALLOWING REBATES.

Big Coal Companies Got Heavy Draw Backs to Detriment of Little Ones.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—J. C. Searles, coal agent of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, was put on the stand today as a witness in the suit of the International Coal Mining Corporation against the railroad company to recover damages for alleged illegal discrimination in shipping rates which is being tried before Judge Wiltbank.

The suit is to recover $22,898 40, which sum the International Coal Mining Corporation claims it was entitled to receive as rebates upon coal shipped by it from the Clearfield district and other places to tidewater at the Greenwich coal piers.

Mr. Searles admitted that rebates were allowed to the Berwind-White Company and to David W. Williams & Co., ranging from 10 cents to 45 cents a ton. A tabulated statement of all shipments on which rebates were allowed between April 1, 1898, and April 1, 1901, showed that the Berwind-White Coal Company and the Morrisdale Coal Company had been allowed rebates of 20 cents a ton between April 1, 1898, and April 1, 1899, and 10 cents a ton between 1899 and 1900.

Car and Wagon in Collision.

In a collision between car No. 153 on the Sharpsburg and Aspinwall division and a wagon load of brick in Freeport avenue, Aspinwall, yesterday morning, the wagon was demolished and the car was damaged. The wagon belonged to P. M. Cray of Sharpsburg. Andy Pevoski, the driver, was thrown to the ground and badly bruised. Occupants of the street car were badly shaken up but none was injured.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived October 13.

New York—Ultonia from Naples; Numidian from Glasgow; Belgravia from Hamburg; Citta di Napoli, Naples and Genoa.

Halifax, N. S.—Carthaginian from Liverpool, via St. Johns, N. F., for Philadelphia.

Cherbourg—Moltke, from New York, via Plymouth, for Hamburg and proceeded.

Manchester—Caledonian, from Boston.

Liverpool—Noordland, from Philadelphia.

Gibraltar—Cadarita, from New York, for Leghorn and Naples.

Fastnet—Georgic, from New York for Liverpool.

Sasres—Perugia, from Genoa, Leghorn and Naples for New York.

London—Hungarian, from Montreal.

Hamburg—Phoenicia, from New York.

Havre—La Savoie, from New York.

Queenstown—Baltic, from New York.

Sailed October 13.

New York—Hamburg, for Hamburg, via Plymouth and Cherbourg; Bremen, for Bremen; La Touraine, for Havre.

Copenhagen—Nicolai II., for Boston.

Glasgow—Buenos Ayrean, for St. John, N. F., and Philadelphia. Corean, for Boston.

Queenstown—Teutonic, from Liverpool, for New York.

Liverpool—Cretic, for Boston, via Queenstown; Dominion, for Montreal; Ionian, for Montreal, via Moville.

London—Mesaba, for New York.

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DOES NOT MEAN DECISIVE BLOW

Fall of Port Arthur Is Necessary to Bring the War to a Close.

HAYASHI GIVES HIS VIEWS

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Oct. 13.—News of the battle between the Russians and Japanese was eagerly awaited here throughout the day at the Japanese legation. The suspense was not untinged with anxiety, which was more noticeable than at almost any previous phase of the war. Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister, said:

The reports of our successes, welcome as they are, must not be construed as being forerunners of any decisive blow. It is practically impossible for Marshal Oyama to envelop and utterly crush Gen. Kuropatkin, just as it is equally impossible for Kuropatkin to envelop Oyama. A victory in the battle now raging chiefly means that Kuropatkin must confess defeat, which is important but not decisive. He can put forward no strategical excuses.

As to Liao-Yang, any retreat on the part of the Russian forces now is an open confession to the whole world that they have suffered a serious reverse. Hitherto it has always been an open question in some quarters whether Kuropatkin's strategy was not more responsible for the Russian retirements than Japanese aggression. Kuropatkin, for no reason that I can fathom, has chosen to brush aside all that doubt and make a plain issue. Let it be remembered that Oyama so far has been only fighting from his first line of defense. Retirement for Oyama merely means falling back upon his main defenses and base—namely, Liao-Yang, where all preparations in the way of fortifications and ammunition have been made for a prolonged stand in case of necessity.

Oyama Was Prepared.

That Oyama has met Kuropatkin's advance on Yentai with a counter-advance indicates a greater state of preparedness on the part of our forces than I anticipated. But there is some doubt if Oyama could follow up any advantage gained in what is comparatively an open fight. Oyama's acceptance of a general engagement from first and weaker lines implies strength, which makes the motive of Kuropatkin's attack all the more puzzling. I understand that such attempts as Kuropatkin made to cut our lines of communication appears to have been confined to those connecting us with Korea. Some of the military critics seem to forget that our main lines of communication are now with Niuchwang and not with the Yalu. This is an infinitely cheaper and quicker method of transport. Our now secondary lines of communication over the Yalu river to Korea were only maintained with great difficulty and because we had no other alternative.

Whatever the result of the present battle, whether Oyama retires to his prepared position at Liao-Yang and on the banks of the Taitse river, or whether he forces Kuropatkin back toward Mukden, Baron Hayashi believes that it will only have a small bearing upon the eventual decision of the grim issue at stake.

All Depends on Port Arthur.

"Until Port Arthur falls," said the baron, "any proposal looking to peace must be futile. Defeat or victory to the Russian Manchurian army or armies merely swells the daily death roll. Kuropatkin driven back and utterly defeated would simply harden Russia's heart. Kuropatkin temporarily successful would only inspire new enthusiasm. In such a see-saw there is no hope of peace. Port Arthur is different. Should it be captured those in Russia who are supposed to favor a reasonable settlement would have a sentimental, material factor in favor of their point of view that no other development of the Manchurian campaign could provide.

"Japan in possession of Port Arthur could treat for peace. How much longer Port Arthur can outlast I have not the slightest idea. Hot weather is an advantage to the defenders. From the intense heat and consequent sanitary disadvantages the Japanese could not get away. Against the cold now coming on they can take the necessary precautions and suffer none of those epidemics whereto, if they are not victims, they are least exposed."

"It is impossible to think that this war, unsought by the population of either of the two countries involved, can be allowed to continue indefinitely. Intervention in some shape or form must eventually occur. At the moment Russia dreads anyone suggesting it, because thereto is involved a confession of defeat. Should Port Arthur fall I think it would be different."

ORIENTAL GOODS SMUGGLED ON U. S. NAVAL COLLIER

Rugs and Other Articles Are Seized by Customs Officials—Commander Was Deceived.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NORFOLK, VA., Oct. 13.—A seizure by custom officials at this port of Turkish and Persian goods valued at thousands of dollars, which were brought from Europe by the naval collier, Hannibal, has created a sensation in naval circles. The information leading up to the seizure came in the form of an anonymous letter to the authorities before the Hannibal reached this port, some days ago from Gibraltar. Capt. Easton, commanding the collier, declined to make any statement tonight, more than to say: "No smuggled goods were brought into port—it was not intended to smuggle any goods here."

In the basement of the custom house there are one Turkish carpet valued at $1,500; two carpets appraised at $300 and $500; several Persian and Smyrna rugs of high value; embroidered table scarfs, doylies, mantel scarfs, nightgowns, lace handkerchiefs, lace shawls, all of the finest Turkish and Persian work, and 15 or 20 cases of imported wines and whiskies.

A government official says the collier's commander reported that it was represented to him that the goods were second-hand and would be exempt from duty. When the bales and cases were opened the goods were found to bear the cards of the manufacturers. All of the stuff is consigned to people in this country at places from Maine to North Carolina.

Driver Badly Hurt by a Car.

John Dietrich, a driver employed by the First National Brewing Company of McKees Rocks, was seriously injured yesterday by being thrown from his wagon in Island avenue, near the brewery. When turning off Thomas street into Island avenue a Coraopolis car struck the team and wagon, which were overturned. One horse was badly injured. The man was taken to his home in Island avenue. His right arm is broken and he sustained probably fatal internal injuries.

Victory for Montana Republicans.

HELENA, MONT., Oct. 13.—The supreme court today held the Walsworth Democrats of Silver Bow county to be regular. The effect is to shut out the so-called Heinze Democrats of that county from a place on the ticket under the designation "Democratic." The Republicans brought the proceedings to prevent the "anti-trust" Democrats from having places on the official ballot.

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RUSSIANS MADE RAPID ADVANCE

War Correspondent With Kuropatkin Tells of Brilliant Fighting.

THREE DAYS AT THE FRONT

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

GEN. KUROPATKIN'S HEADQUARTERS AT THE FRONT, Oct. 11, VIA MUKDEN, Oct. 12.—Nemirovich-Danchenko, the distinguished Russian war correspondent, telegraphs as follows:

The third day of our advance broke with a pelting rain and the temperature close to the freezing point. Later in the day the sky cleared and the sun revealed the ranks of our advance guard extending as far as the eye could reach east and west, while behind lay close columns of reserves. Every one was in excellent spirits. The forward movement had put fresh fire into the men. The regiments that suffered so severely at Liao-Yang had been rejuvenated past recognition, while the new troops that have arrived from Russia had but one theme—Port Arthur. "We must get there in time to deliver it," was heard on every side. Gen. Kuropatkin's order to advance had aroused the greatest enthusiasm everywhere.

We left Mukden on October 6. The Japanese at that time occupied the villages of Chiantun, Taducampa, Sinopa, Samuhedzi and Chanzai. These were merely their outposts. Their main front began at Davan, which constituted their left flank, and extended to Da pass, their right, where a brigade of infantry occupied the hills. They had two divisions between Sandiapu and Khoutzanpa, four at Chintaladzi, Nakhutunla and Lochju; two at the Yentai mines and two at Bentsiaputze and Bensihu. How many reserves were in the rear it was impossible to ascertain. Chinese reports are utterly unreliable and our scouts have been unable to penetrate far into their lines. It is certain, however, that they are strongly entrenched at Ihangopudzi and Chintaladzi. Their entrenchments continue in groups across an extended front to Incheandzi and Yentai. There is another strong group on the hills between Muchan and Sykwantun and another at Shantaidzi. Thus they presented a concave line of works into whose center we advanced. On October 6 we reached the village of Saldidzi on the road to Bentsiaputze and Sensihu. The next two days were spent in reconnoitering the fighting lines.

The advance was general along the line on October 8. On the west the Japanese slowly retreated before us, we in the advanced companies keeping in close touch. This day Gen. Mischenko had a brilliant engagement with the Japanese near Bentsiaputze. The Cossack batteries went in at a gallop, firing and advancing to fresh positions and repeating the operation until the Japanese abandoned the hill positions and fled in confusion. Taking advantage of the confusion, caused by the artillery, the Verkhneinsk Siberian regiment rushed the position, not giving the Japanese even time to remove their ammunition boxes. It is reported that the Japanese lost heavily in this encounter. Bentsiaputsze was a magnificent position held by a division of Japanese and strongly entrenched.

Meantime hard fighting was proceeding on the extreme east, where we drove back the Japanese step by step. The same day the Voronski regiment was ordered to occupy hills in front of Yentai. This was accomplished brilliantly. Having secured a commanding position, they entrenched under heavy fire, driving back attack after attack. The Japanese retired along the whole line, in some cases six to 12 miles.

The fighting so far has cost us 200 killed or wounded.

SUPPORT CONSTITUTION EXCEPT IN THE SOUTH

Attorney General Moody So Says of the Democrats—Speaks in New Jersey.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—Attorney General Moody tonight addressed one of the largest and most enthusiastic mass meetings held by the Republicans of Camden county during the present campaign. Mr. Moody began his speech by conveying to his audience "the warmest greetings from the president of the United States."

The attorney general referred to the expressed fear of the Democratic party concerning that "lawless man Roosevelt" and the organization of the "Parker Constitution Club." He said this club had been organized to try the president in connection with what the Democratic party terms the over-riding of the Constitution. As yet, the attorney general said, but one report has resulted and the world is waiting for the others that have been promised. He said the Democrats favor carrying the Constitution everywhere but to the southern states. He said the Democrats were divided on the Philippine question. Some went to Parker and told him he must say this and others said he must say that. "The result of which was," said he, "poor Parker did not say much of anything."

Mr. Moody defended the foreign policy of the administration, terming Secretary of State Hay "the greatest diplomatist of the time."

Clearwater Beaten by Weston.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Charley Weston, the "cowboy champion," beat Clearwater of Pittsburgh by a score of 125 to 87 in the fourth game of the championship pool tourney tonight.

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KNOWN POLICIES WILL NOT CHANGE

Senator Fairbanks Says Those of McKinley Will Be Followed by Roosevelt.

LONG TOUR OF CANDIDATE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Completing a day of speech-making throughout Illinois, Charles W. Fairbanks, Republican candidate for vice president, tonight addressed an audience that filled the First regiment armory to overflowing. Senator Fairbanks' remarks were rather brief. Joseph G. Cannon, speaker of the house of representatives, also addressed the audience. Senator Fairbanks said in part:

Standing here tonight, where William McKinley our martyred president once addressed you, the best greeting I can extend to you is that Theodore Roosevelt, the leader of the Republican party, today stands exactly for the same principles as President McKinley, and these principles will not be changed one iota when President Roosevelt is returned to the White House November 8. Our opponents say that the money question has been irrevocably settled. This is not exactly the fact, as congress may reverse and undo it tomorrow if it sees fit, but such a thing will never happen as long as the Republican party is in power. To insure the fixture of the money question, it is necessary for the Republican party to have a majority in congress, and this fact should not be lost sight of during the campaign.

From my observations during my trip to the Pacific coast I am more than ever full of faith, if the conditions throughout the west can be taken as a criterion of the sentiment throughout the country, then the Republican party will record a greater victory this year than it did four years ago. But the people must not become apathetic, for a repetition of the conditions which existed during the four years from 1892 and 1896, when the United States, under the administration of the Democratic party, was plunged into almost total demoralization, every loyal Republican must stand by his party this year and roll up such a majority for our principles in the congressional districts that when congress opens for the next session, such an overwhelming Republican majority will be found in their seats that it will be useless for our opponents to endeavor to enact visionary legislation.

Senator Fairbanks spoke today at Ottawa, Genesee, Moline and Sheffield, where large crowds heard him.

On his arrival here he traversed 6,396 miles, visited 14 states and delivered 111 speeches.

WOMAN DID KILLING WITH DELIBERATION

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—A warrant charging murder in the first degree was issued today against Myrtle Eberly, who has admitted to the police that she killed Thomas Lane of Newdrop, Staten Island, N. Y. The assistant prosecuting attorney issued the warrant, and said that the transcript of the coroner's jury showed "coolness, deliberation and premeditation in committing the crime."

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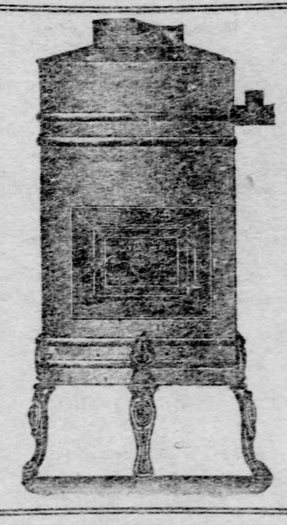

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PROTESTS COME THICK AND FAST

Storm of Indignation Aroused by Proposed Addition to Court House.

ARCHITECTS CONDEMN IT

The expression is often heard, "Pittsburgh is utterly devoid of sentiment." But the most caustic observer of the traits and habits of the Iron City inhabitants would have been forced to admit that the above statement was not true if he could have listened yesterday to the storms of protest that followed the announcement that the court house was to be architecturally ruined by the addition of two more stories. From leading business and professional men, from prominent private citizens, from many members of the architects' profession and from well-posted real estate men there came a strong outburst of indignation against the proposed act of vandalism. For that is what every lover of civic beauty and every man who has any pride in genuine works of art regards it.

The proposed improvement is, in the opinion of most citizens, entirely unnecessary. It is generally admitted that more room is needed, but this room could be secured, they say, by erecting another building or by having many of the offices located out of the main building, as is the case with the city departments. To ruin a building which is regarded the country over as a model of its kind of architecture is generally opposed. There are many, too, who share with the associates of the late Henry Hobson Richardson his veneration for what was considered to be his life work.

Will Ruin the Building.

An architect who is well prepared to speak on the subject is F. A. Russell of the firm of Rutan & Russell, who was associated with Mr. Richardson four years at the time the plans for the court house were being prepared. Mr. Russell said yesterday:

"The court house is one of the most prominent works of architecture in this country and was considered by Mr. Richardson himself the crowning work of his life. While there is nothing in the plan of the building to hinder a rearrangement, I do not see how an addition of two stories to the exterior could be accomplished without altering completely the present architectural proportions."

U. J. L. Peoples, one of the best-known designers of public buildings in the city, had this to say of the proposed change:

"The court house is complete, architecturally, as it is. Pittsburgh architects have always been very proud of the structure, which is a model of its kind. To patch up the building could not help but mar the beauty of it. In all ways it would be much better to leave it as it is."

Should Buy More Property.

There are many who feel that Allegheny county has never taken the pains that it should to protect its most noted building. One of these men is Samuel W. Black, who said:

"The county should have bought nearby properties long ago to protect the beauty of the court house. Buildings could have then been erected which would have harmonized in effect with the big structure. Now prices on most of the property are too high. But there is plenty of property in Diamond street which could be condemned and improved with buildings to afford more room for the county offices."

David P. Black, president of the Real Estate Trust Company, was of much the same opinion.

"It would hurt the appearance of the court house very much," Mr. Black said, "to add two more stories. It is beautiful now in its entirety, and this would be destroyed by the change proposed. Property in Grant or Diamond street could easily be secured and more building erected, as there are already some of the public buildings in Diamond street."

It has been suggested that before the plan is formally taken up drawings should be submitted to the Pittsburgh chapter American Institute of Architects in order to get its opinion. Many architects who are averse to giving a professional opinion until they have seen the manner of working out the change and how closely it conforms to the lines laid down by the original architect are heartily in favor of this scheme.

There Has Been No Decision.

Commissioner Carson Mercer says that the plan of adding two stories has not been finally decided upon.

"The architect," said he, "was instructed to prepare plans for the additional floors, but there has been no approval of the scheme so far. We will do nothing without the consent of the court. The judges now have the plans and are inspecting them.

"There is no question about our needing more space. We must either add two stories or purchase more ground and erect additional buildings. I am not in favor of the latter plan. The site could not be purchased for less than $800,000, and the expense would be much greater than if we were to add two stories to the present building.

"The contention that the erection of additional stories will destroy the architectural beauty of the building is merely a matter of opinion. There are some architects who believe that it will improve the appearance of the building. Those who are condemning the scheme should examine the plans before they reach a decision."

WELCOME FOR TRICERATOPS.

Fossil Arriving at Carnegie Museum Makes Dr. Holland Happy.

A strange skull that the most obtuse observer would distinguish from the bones of "poor Yorick" arrived yesterday at the Carnegie museum. It was the size of a barrel and projecting from the proboscis was a large horn, and over each eye socket a similar protuberance added to the hideousness of the mass of clay-covered bones.

"Our old friend triceratops," said Dr. W. J. Holland. "He looks natural enough. He is our first specimen of that family of dinosaurs and we're glad to have him with us."

The collection of fossils was sent to the museum by W. H. Utterback, who has been directing the field explorations for the Carnegie institute. The bones will be packed away and will not be placed on exhibition until the new building is ready.

BELIEVE WABASH WANTS ENTRANCE TO M'KEESPORT

Representatives of the Wabash railroad are rumored to have attempted to get options on valuable property in the Point District, McKeesport, yesterday. The property is at the confluence of the Monongahela and Youghiogheny rivers, and would make an admirable entrance into the city for the new railroad. David Rosenberg, Joseph Goldberg and Capt. Quincy McClure, who own large holdings, were approached.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Dear Sir—Some time ago I noticed in one of the daily papers a communication from old Dr. Oliver. He said that if a person would carry a buckeye on his person he would never be troubled with rheumatism. I know for a fact that my entire family carry buckeyes. My father has carried on in his pocket for 40 years. He is now 70 years old and was never troubled with rheumatism. Yours, etc.,

DR. JANE BLANCHARD.

Business Men

and all others should patronize Women's Exchange Lunch Room, 412 Penn avenue. Excellent service, modern appointments, artistic surroundings and a cuisine that is unexcelled makes it an inviting place to dine. Tables reserved for gentlemen, 11:30-2:30. Service a la carte.

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REVIVAL IN BUSINESS IS FELT AT HOMESTEAD

Howard Axle Works, Affected by Depression, Returns to Double Turn Monday.

The Howard Axle Works of the Carnegie Steel Company at Homestead will be placed on double turn Monday night for the first time in nearly a year. Notices were posted at the plant yesterday notifying all employes to report for work, as the shops would run to their full capacity after Monday.

The plant was among the very first to be affected by the recent depression in the steel business, owing to the curtailment of orders for cars by the various railroad companies. Recently a large number of orders have been secured from car manufacturers and railroads for axles. The employes of the Howard Axle Works are among the highest paid steel workers in the Monongahela valley.

The plant of the Mesta Machine Company at West Homestead, which went on double turn two weeks ago, has received a number of large orders and 50 additional skilled mechanics were placed at work yesterday. All of the old employes have been at work for some time and the men placed at work yesterday were in addition to those employed heretofore, making the largest number of men that have ever been employed at the works at any one time. All the other mills at Homestead are working full.

OPERATED ON HIMSELF NEARLY BLED TO DEATH

A short time ago Effalite Lionise of McKeesport was struck in the wrist with a sharp piece of iron, which embedded itself in the flesh. After the wound had partly healed, Lionise consulted a doctor, who was unable to locate the foreign substance. The man suffered much pain. Yesterday Lionise, with a large pen knife, dug into his wrist and removed the iron. He severed one of the main arteries and almost bled to death.

BEER BOTTLE FELL FROM A DOWNTOWN SKYSCRAPER

Thomas Fitzsimmons, aged 14, of 1718 Bedford avenue, had a narrow escape from being killed yesterday morning by a bottle of beer falling on him from the Farmers' Bank building. The bottle struck him back of the neck and rendered him unconscious. After Fitzsimmons was revived the doctors said the bottle would have crushed his skull had it struck him on the head.

Want New Engine House.

The committee on Public Safety of Pittsburgh councils yesterday recommended an ordinance authorizing the razing of No. 7 engine house and the construction of a new engine house on the site the cost not to exceed $20,000, and the letting of a contract for a 250-horsepower hot water boiler for the Public Safety building, the cost not to exceed $500.

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Friday, October 14, 1904.

The sudden death of Maj. James B. Hamilton, prothonotary of Allegheny county, has shocked and grieved his thousands of friends. Though he had been suffering he remained at his work in the courthouse until Tuesday, and his death was wholly unexpected, he being a man of active habits and apparently vigorous constitution. Maj. Hamilton was one of the most popular of the younger politicians. He was a source of strength to his ticket during the campaign last fall, his friends being numerous throughout the county, from his home in Elizabeth down to Leetsdale. Maj. Hamilton was a veteran of the Spanish-American war, and he was active in military affairs for many years. He was highly esteemed by his comrades of the Fourteenth regiment and by all who knew him.

Although advocated as a temperance measure the anti-canteen law has turned out in practice to be a prolific source of vice and intemperance. All the reports of those who are charged with the responsibility of caring for the health and morals of the army concur in the opinion that the results of that law have been extremely pernicious. The annual report of the inspector general of the army repeats what so many other army commanders have said before upon that subject. The way in which congress was led to pass the law was discreditable to the judgment, for no amount of importunity, however sincere and well-meaning, should have been allowed to supersede the judgment of those responsible for the discipline of the army. Congress made a terrible blunder in passing the law in the first place and it should be one of the first duties of congress at its next session to repeal it.

Reconquest of the Yentai region is particularly important to Gen. Kuropatkin, as the mines there have been the source of coal supplies and their loss will embarass the working of the railway even where the Russians retain full control. The Japanese have changed the gauge of the railway over the part of the line in their possession, and even should Gen. Kuropatkin be able to push his way back again over the ground he has lost, he will have to reconstruct the line before he can make it available for Russian cars and locomotives. As the Japanese battle front has advanced, engineers and roadbuilders have been busy behind it making fortifications and establishing lines of communication, so that the Russians are now undertaking a much harder task than that in which they failed before, when they fought behind intrenchments and the Japanese had to do the attacking. The positions which Gen. Kuropatkin attacked in superior force were simply the outer circle of the Japanese lines of defense, and Russian defeat is virtually acknowledged in Gen. Kuropatkin's official report that his right wing and center have fallen back, while he has not heard from his left wing. As that wing had the skillful Kuroki for its opponent, failure of communication with it is a bad omen for the Russians.

An important action for damages was begun in the Westmoreland county courts this week. It is a claim for injuries received in an accident on a crossing of the Pittsburgh, McKeesport & Greensburg trolley road and the public highway in August. The papers in the case set forth that on the morning in question the young man was driving in his father's milk wagon upon the public road when the wagon was struck by a car running at a high rate of speed. The wagon was demolished and the young man thrown out and permanently injured. The trolley company is asked to pay damages in the sum of $10,000. The case will be watched with more interest than its proportions might warrant, for upon the decision depends the measure of responsibility of high speed trolley lines operating in part or wholly on the public roads. The road involved in this case is typical of the trolley lines that are becoming numerous throughout the country, which obtain rights of way along rural roads where they can and buy private rights where the owners of abutting property refuse to grant favors. Many of them operate at almost railroad speed. If they are liable for damages to persons injured on crossings or on portions of the roadway occupied, as this bill claims, it will make an important difference in their methods of running cars. The country people who live near these roads will be as much interested as the capitalists who have their money in them. And it does seem as though the public roads should be maintained primarily for the safety of ordinary traffic.

Motorists are not welcomed in Grant county, West Virginia. The county court has made an order prohibiting the running of automobiles in that county under penalty of $100 for each offense. The order is the result of a number of accidents due to reckless driving of motor cars on the public highway. The matter is of importance because Grant is considered the best touring county in the state. This order may prove to be not good law and it may be difficult of enforcement, but it is an excellent indication of the sort of opposition that will spring up everywhere against motoring unless the votaries of the sport cease the reckless exhibitions that have brought it into disrepute. Automobiling is perfectly legitimate, but high speed on public highways is too dangerous to be tolerated.

The Real Peril from Usurpation.

The admirable speeches which Secretary Taft is making form a prominent feature of the appeal to reason which has been the guiding principle of the Republican campaign. The force of his arguments is intensified by the fact that he presents the opposing view with all the effectiveness of which it is capable before exposing its weakness. And in pursuing the subject he sometimes brings out phases of it not involved by the pending campaign issues, but which have genuine public importance. In his recent speech at Quincy, Ill., he performed a public service of this character by pointing attention to the true quarter from which usurpation of power may justly be apprehended. He said:

> The possibility of improper limitation of executive power by congress is real, but the danger that the executive will usurp the functions of the legislature is a mere hobgoblin, a creature of Democratic imagination, because the legislature has always at its command that which in England won from the most arbitrary king liberty for the people, the power over the public purse. Mere inaction by congress would render the president powerless.

When one avoids campaign rant and partisan humbug, can any sensible man doubt the truth of this statement? There has been absolutely no increase in presidential authority since the office was constituted, but, upon the contrary, it has yet to rise to the stature contemplated for it by the framers of the Constitution. Meanwhile there has been a steady growth of legislative usurpation, especially on the part of the senate. The control which that body has assumed over the other branches of the government would have been regarded as absolutely incredible by the fathers. Every senator claims the power to suspend public business at will until such demands as he has to make are satisfied. The fact is notorious that Senator Tillman forced through a claim denounced on the floor of the house as fraudulent, because he would not let the appropriation bills be acted upon unless that claim was allowed.

Here is a real usurpation, the practice of which is notorious, but there is not a word of complaint about it in the Democratic platform, which has so much to say about an imaginary executive usurpation. Indeed, legislative usurpation is indirectly commended by the approval expressed for the failure of Secretary Taft's Philippine measures, which are referred to as having been "held up by the opposition of the Democratic senators in the last session." What constitutional warrant is there for the holding up of legislation by a minority? It is a pure act of usurpation.

Not only does legislative usurpation flourish in the national government but such also is the case all through our governmental arrangements of every grade. Unlawful exercise of power by executive officials is readily annulled as soon as brought to legal test, but there is no adequate check upon abuse of power and breach of trust by the legislative branch. To this condition of affairs is due the prevalence of the graft system. The vice-protection syndicates which exercise such a corrupting influence upon our police administration are notoriously based upon a legislative "pull," obtained by usurpation of power.

The growth of legislative usurpation presents a problem which will have to be solved in order to protect the very existence of government by the people, and the working of events will sooner or later force it to the front as a political issue. The false outcry about executive usurpation is to a large extent a trick to divert public attention from the true quarter where the real peril from usurpation is to be found.

Interference in the Kongo.

The two good reasons why our government is not likely to favor an inquiry into the conduct of the king of Belgium, in ruling the Kongo Free State are: First, that such an inquiry, instigated by the British government is now in progress and secondly the refusal of this country to be drawn into any obligations to enforce neutrality, which were assumed by the other governments participating in the conference respecting that state. The representative of the Kongo Reform association, who has visited this country for the purpose of presenting his memorial to the peace conference in Boston and to President Roosevelt, bases his excuse for intervention by this country on the general ground of interest in humanity. The complaints of abuses come mainly from the missionary agencies, which were quick to take advantage of the opening of this territory to the influences of civilization, but there is such a difference of opinion about them that no investigation ought to proceed on the assumption that the charges are true.

The Kongo Free State was a commercial enterprise, largely instigated by the late Henry M. Stanley, and when it was proposed to launch it as an independent nation, this country was one of the first to recognize its identity. This government later participated in the conferences to provide for its government, but we always recorded our unwillingness to continue as guarantors of its independence. This position was made plain by President Cleveland when he refused to ask the senate to ratify the action of the delegates to the convention in Berlin. But the senate did take action when our delegates attended a later convention which enlarged the powers of the Kongo government, and we subsequently made a treaty with that country. But the steady refusal of this government to unite with other nations in any form of protectorate would seem to be reason enough to avoid meddling now.

The most important consideration, however, is the discourtesy to the commission already at work investigating the charges that King Leopold is allowing atrocities in the state, should another inquiry be projected. When Lord Lansdowne proposed the commission he asked that it be "composed of members of well-established reputation, and, in part at least of persons unconnected with the Kongo state, to whom the fullest powers should be intrusted, both as regards the collection of evidence and the measures for the protection of witnesses." When the report of this inquiry is made it will be time for the agitators to ask further evidence if they are not satisfied with its findings. But even then this government should be cautious about making any criticism of conditions on the other side of the hemisphere in a country, whose welfare is of much greater concern to a nation like Great Britain.

A Fictitious Issue.

George Howell, Democrat, who is a candidate for congress in the Tenth Pennsylvania district, is running on the platform that he was elected two years ago and was cheated out of his seat. No other issue is advanced by the Democratic orators or organs in Lackawanna county. But if Howell secures an election on that platform he will promptly line up under the "protection is robbery" banner.

He will not be elected, for the people of Lackawanna county will not accept this two-year-old issue. In the first place it is false. Howell had a majority on the face of the returns, but there were many fraudulent votes. He was unseated on evidence that the greater part of the fraudulent votes were cast for him. In the second place, if it could be true that Howell was wrongfully unseated the fact would not be an issue in this campaign. The question before the voters of the Tenth district is larger than the woes of any man. It is whether or not the policy of protection to American industries is to be continued. Mr. Howell's failure to get elected two years ago and his failure to retain the seat in congress obtained by fraudulent votes, gives him no title to misrepresent the Tenth district on the floor of the house of representatives.

This Scranton district is one of those, however, that James Knox Polk Hall and Pale Gray Meek have been advertising as a gain for the Democratic party. They expect to win it by obscuring the real issue of the campaign, kicking up a dust about the alleged election of their candidate two years ago. They hope to capture the Nineteenth district by running a renegade Republican, who asserts that he is a protectionist. They are wasting time and effort. Since Lackawanna county became a congressional district it has been Republican. It has elected Republican congressmen, Republican assemblymen and Republican county officials. It has given Republican majorities for state and national tickets. It has prospered, grown in population and wealth under Republican administration, and it will continue to do so. Mr. Howell may try to befog the issue by asking for a "vindication" to his heart's content, but he cannot conceal his adherence to the Democratic party, its platform promises and its soup-house record.

The Course of Wisdom.

Important action was taken by the board of home missions of the Reformed church at Irwin, the other day, in refusing the appeal of Count Degenfel in respect of the Hungarian members. The count desired to have the Hungarians remain subjects of their native country and to have their children educated in parochial schools in the Hungarian language. This the board rejected. It had received letters from hundreds of the members affected favoring the continuation of the present system, which includes allegiance to the American church and American institutions. Hence it was decided to notify Count Degenfel that his request could not be acceded to. The count was present at the meeting and made an impassioned address in behalf of his proposition, but it had no effect on the members of the board.

The Reformed board is to be congratulated upon the wisdom of its action. No greater mistake could be made by any body of foreigners coming to this country than to endeavor to maintain allegiance to their native land and to bring up their children in ignorance of American institutions or customs. The best thing they can do is to become Americans in as great measure as possible. Unless they come here for the purpose of becoming citizens in fact and in spirit they are not welcome. Unless they are willing to have their children absorbed into the body politic they are aiming at a condition that is impossible to maintain. The tremendous tide of immigration to our shores is now giving thinking men some concern. It is a momentous question whether this mass of raw material can be assimilated without difficulty. If assimilation is to be retarded by untoward influences such as retention of foreign allegiance and a foreign language the task will become impossible, and the only safe course for this country will be is to prohibit immigration or so restrict it as to bar out the element that is averse to American citizenship.

Gen. Burton is out in favor of the canteen. But he is not supposed to know as much about the matter as the civilian opponents of that institution. Army officers are almost unanimous on the subject.

It is announced on behalf of the Automonile club that it will assist in enforcing the law against the scorchers. This was to have been expected from an organization of gentlemen.

The Democratic candidate for congress in the district where Candidate Parker resides has withdrawn from the ticket. He sees the handwriting on the wall.

Grandpa Davis is a wonder for endurance. But a whirlwind campaign gives little indication of a man's qualification for the office he seeks.

P. Gray Meek insists the Democrats will make a gain of four congressmen in this state. Meek is not true to his name. He is a bluffer.

Count Cassini insists the Russians will win. Of course he thinks so, but his repetition of that opinion does not make victory certain.

Now they are having daylight robberies in Allegheny. The night is apparently not long enough for the crooks over there.

It is said the coffee war of some years' standing will end. Then coffee will come higher and, we hope, will contain more coffee.

Burglars have robbed city hall, Chicago. That is pretty near the limit in criminal boldness or police incompetency.

Kuropatkin's advance was all in the advance notices.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Planters.
E. C. Wighton.
E. Younger.
William Smith.
Al Ralston.

Lindell.
A. G. Mixner.

Hamilton.
John Burns.

Southern.
S. P. S. Ellis

Buckingham.
John P. Hunter.
Mrs. Hunter.

Washington.
E. L. Willis.
Mrs. Willis.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The presence of a half dozen well dressed men with apparently nothing to do lounging around the Hotel Spalding is because Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, and his wife are guests at the hotel. The ambassador's life has been threatened recently, therefore secret service men surround him wherever he goes. The several men who attended him at breakfast this morning are the same secret service agents whose duties are often to guard the life of President Roosevelt. They are the same men who spent much time at Oyster Bay during the summer, hovering about the house of the president. Upon the arrival of the count and the countess from Brdigeport they took a carriage at Grand Central station. Behind them in a second carriage came the secret service men. The count and countess were driven to the Hotel Spalding, in West Forty-third street, and the carriage of the detectives stopped behind them. When the Russian ambassador went up to the desk to register a secret service man was at his elbow. This same man stayed with the count on his trip up the elevator and watched him until he and his wife were safe in their apartments. The count and countess were at the Broadway theater last night, and so were the secret service guards. Never once is there left an opening for an attack by a crank.

Mr. Parker Looks at the Machinery.

Judge Alton B. Parker left the Hotel Seville at a little after 9 o'clock this morning for a walk, and as he strolled up Fifth avenue his eye caught the sign of the Democratic national committee in front of the headquarters at No. 1 West Thirty-fourth street. Never having visited headquarters, the judge thought he would run in and take a look at the vote factory over which Thomas Taggart presides. He got into the elevator without being recognized and surprised everybody in headquarters by his sudden appearance. Sergeant-at-Arms John R. Martin conducted him through the rooms, and he saw all of the leading men except William F. Sheehan, chairman of the executive committee, who was not in when he called. The judge's visit to headquarters was merely made out of curiosity and had no special significance. After taking a look at the press bureau, presided over by Mr. Hossford, and extending a brief greeting to the newspaper staff of the committee that had gathered, he hustled to the elevator, went out to the street and resumed his walk, returning to the hotel at 10:15 o'clock.

Andre Monument Without Friends.

The monument erected by the late Cyrus W. Field at Tappan, N. Y., to the memory of Maj. Andre has been sold for the non-payment of taxes at New City, Rockland county. The monument stands on Andre hill, exactly over the spot where the unfortunate British officer was buried after his death by hanging. Since the death of Field his family has neglected to pay taxes on the plot of ground, 100 feet square, within which the mounment stands. This property was one of several pieces sold today by County Treasurer W. J. Randolph, but when it was put up there were no bidders. The amount of taxes due is $6.88, and for this sum the ground and monument were bought in by the treasurer for the county. In April, 1882, the monument was blown to pieces by a charge of dynamite. In 1885 Mr. Field put up a larger and better stone and enclosed it with an iron fence. In the same year it was blown off its pedestal by another explosion. Public sentiment, however, began to change, and since the monument was replaced it has not been disturbed.

Takes His Medicine Gracefully.

One of the most picturesque characters behind the smoking torchlights in this political campaign is Lucien C. Knapp, the Republican candidate from the Fourteenth congressional district. "Some men take to rum drinking, some take to automobiles; my form of dissipation has always been politics," said Mr. Knapp today. "That is why," he added, with his eyes twinkling, "they have put me up for congress in this district, which has a Democratic plurality of more than 10,000 votes.

"As a matter of fact," he said, "I've been running for office for the Republican party for 30 years and have been elected only once. That was in Long Island City. Somehow or other I was elected controller of Long Island City, and it was the shock of that, I firmly believe, that killed 'Paddy' Gleason.

"Like any other form of dissipation," he continued, reflectively, "politics has certainly played hob with my business. Time and again I've had to let business slide while I've stood up as the Republican candidate for state senator, alderman, controller or whatever it might be—congress now—in order that I might be knocked down again; all for the glory of the cause."

Values His Note Too Highly.

Edouard de Reszke will not sing in this country under the management of Pendleton & Snow during the coming season, although they had booked more than 50 concerts for him and had guaranteed him $40,000 for the season. Mr. Snow, one of the members of the firm, explained today that the basso demanded from them a deposit of $5,000, but had refused to make a deposit of an equal sum for the protection of his managers. This arrangement was not acceptable and the engagement was canceled.

Woman Captures Woman Thief.

Two months ago Mrs. Augusta Bogen advertised for a nurse girl, and a young woman who described herself as Jennie Edwards responded. She engaged the girl and left her alone in her room for a few minutes. When she returned the nurse said she didn't believe she liked the place and left hurriedly. A few hours later Mrs. Bogen discovered that the girl had stolen 10 diamond rings from her bureau. The police gave her no aid in capturing the thief. A short time ago Mrs. Bogen moved to another apartment and again advertised for a nurse. She has had dozens of applicants, but before meeting them took note of their appearance, concealed behind a curtain. She was unsuccessful until today, when, peeping through the curtain, she saw the girl who had answered the former ad. Locking the door, she confronted the young woman with her theft. The girl tried to escape, but Mrs. Bogen held her until Policeman Storm arrived. On the way to the station the prisoner confessed the theft.

Nips of New York News.

A Brooklyn man, full of unrequited love, prepared to commit suicide, but before he could accomplish it a hemorrhage came upon him and relieved him of the job.

E. C. Brown of Buffalo reports that he was robbed of a $2,000 pin early this morning. Such things still happen in New York.

A young Italian dreamed that his father was trying to kill him, and, awaking to find it only a dream, took the job upon himself. Bellevue physicians extracted the bullet and say he will recover.

A love-lorn youth of 20, whose father spanked him for thinking about marriage, also tried suicide as a cure, but failed by a scratch.

W. C. Martin was discussing pickpockets with a friend on a car platform. Meanwhile one was illustrating the conversation, and Martin is shy his $150 watch.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers were registered at New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
L. C. Bihler.
A. G. Leonard.
A. T. Young.
D. Robbins.
H. F. Sheldon.

Holland.
Mrs. J. Wood.
T. M. Cook.
Mrs. Cook.
J. R. McCrory.

Imperial.
G. P. Rose.
C. B. Lawton.

Hotel Astor.
D. W. Dunlevy.
J. I. Buchanan.

Gilsey.
Mrs. E. W. Brown.
Miss M. J. McCracken.
S. Wolf.
C. C. Burns.

Grand.
J. Ablett.
H. C. Childs.
Mrs. Childs.

Manhattan.
A. W. Carpenter.
E. P. Mellon.

Belvedere.
E. C. Klennan.
H. H. Kerr.

Victoria.
M. P. Clinton.

Vendome.
E. S. Henry.
Mrs. Henry.

St. Denis.
J. W. Eagan.

Metropolitan
C. J. Geddes.

Murray Hill.
D. Dewitt.
Mrs. Dewitt.

Grand Union.
B. R. Squiers.

Hoffman.
S. H. Wood.

Astor House.
C. J. Petxen.

Bartholdi.
T. S. Burr.

Continental.
A. J. Edwards.

Earlington
T. Ferguson.

Broadway Central.
F. Parker.
T. C. King.

Martha Washington.
Mrs. N. H. Batton.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Has it occurred to you that leap year is about over?

Maybe you have taken the leap and don't care a snap whether leap year continues or not.

You may think this leap year business is all a joke, but it isn't, for there are lots of people who take it seriously, and there have been weddings which resulted from proposals made by the woman in the case.

And why not?

Are not women as capable of making proposals as men?

Women do not always marry their first choice among men simply because these particular men do not propose. In many instances, no doubt, these same men would have accepted had they received proposals from these same women.

This thing of women waiting for proposals is a survival of the very early times when man was but a few removes from savagery. Then he was a masher sure enough, using a club instead of the popular methods of the present day. Even yet in some parts of Australia men go wife hunting with clubs. They knock their sweethearts down and then apologize, if their apology is accepted they are engaged.

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As you well know, perhaps, a girl can hardly help showing her preference for the fellow she most admires, and if he is half bright he can't help seeing it.

This, in a great measure, takes the place of outright proposing, and it is probably the better way, for if the girl should be flatly refused she might have a fit and cause a lot of trouble.

And then there are good-hearted fellows who haven't the nerve to say no. Indeed, it is not uncommon for them to marry against their will, or, at least, against their better judgment. They see how it is with the girls, and rather than disappoint them altogether they propose, marry and live unmated and unhappy.

Men don't object to being courted by fair ladies, although they regard themselves as the courtiers.

But being courted and being chased are very different conditions. No man enjoys being chased by a woman, even if he had found her to be much to his liking. In fact, there isn't anything that will more thoroughly disgust a man with a woman than for her to chase him. And she may not mean to do so, but he knows she is after him, and so do his more intimate associates.

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Yes, and it is just as true that women hate to be chased by men.

Every woman who is built right and is in her right mind, appreciates and enjoys attentions from men. And it is altogether right and proper that she should, for it was so decreed from the beginning. Without this feeling there could be no mating, no marrying, no fulfilling the mission for which they were made male and female.

Not infrequently do men disgust women who have shown that they admired them by chasing them; that is, by forcing attentions upon them, monopolizing their time and annoying them by their persistence.

Occasionally a woman marries such a man just to get rid of him. At least we sometimes hear this given as an excuse for having married, particularly if the marriage has not proven as successful as could have been expected. This excuse, however, is one that will not excuse.

This recalls Bessie Morgan's bright and clever verses of a good while ago.

I was mighty good-lookin' when I was young,
Peert an' black-eyed an' slim,
With fellers a-courtin' me Sunday nights,
'Spacially Jim.

The likeliest one of 'em all was he,
Chipper an' han'som' an' trim;
But I tossed up my head and made fun of the crowd,
'Spacially of Jim.

I said I hadn't no 'pinion of men,
An' I wouldn't take stock in him.
But they kep' on a-comin' in spite of my talk,
'Spacially Jim.

I got so tired o' havin' 'em roun'
('Spacially Jim)
I made up my mind I'd settle down
An' take up with him.

So we were married one Sunday in church,
'Twas crowded full to the brim;
'Twas the only way to get rid of 'em all,
'Spacially Jim.

—Bessie Morgan.

It is coming to that time of the year when folks gather around the fire and talk more confidential like than when out seeking amusement or entertainment on mountain or at seashore.

Summer resorts are all right for making acquaintances, and for becoming acquainted in a general sort of way, but they are not fit places for courtship—that is, for the real thing.

This is the reason why so many summer engagements will not stand the frosts of winter; also why so many of them that are closed up before the snow blows prove to be failures.

There isn't anything like a good old-fashioned courtship to get people thoroughly acquainted with each other.

And in those days a fellow got acquainted with the old folks, and with the children, for visitors were received in the one room that served as reception room, parlor and sitting room.

You may imagine that these conditions would take a good deal of the romance out of courtship.

And so they do, and it is just what must be done in order to discover whether the feelings of affection are the real thing or merely the effects of a passing fascination.

There is too much romance and fascination in the love affairs of young people, for where there is much of fascination and of romance there isn't a great deal of love.

So keep your eye out for a lover and let romance follow in its own good time or not.

And don't forget that leap year is waning.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Farmer Hay—Jest passed one uv them blamed autermubbiles dashin' along like all possessed, and I'll be durned if the two snobs a-drivin' it wa'n't wearin' masks!

Farmer Huskinby—Jest as I thought! I knowed them fellers would take tew robbin' their victims sooner or later!—Town Topics.

"Do you remember that $5 you borrowed of me last June?"

"Well, I should say I did—I lent $2 of it to Jones and the skunk hasn't paid me yet!"—Puck.

"Ah! professor," exclaimed the conceited young man, condescendingly, "I wish I knew as much as you do."

"You would know more than I," replied the shrewd professor, who could read character, "if you only knew as much as you think you know now."—Philadelphia Ledger.

"Do you think that money brings happiness?"

"No," answered Miss Cayenne. "But the lack of it brings a great deal of annoyance."—Washington Star.

"You need a solid rest; pray shirk,"
The genial doctor said,
"All duties and all heavy work
Pertaining to the head."
The patient answered with a sigh:
"In that I can't concur.
It's plain to see the reason why:
I am a barber, sir."—New York Herald.

LAW AND CRIME.

The office of Justice of the Peace Herman Leusner at Saxonburg has been robbed of several law books of considerable value. There is no clue to the thief.—Butler Eagle.

The party who left a large blue dash lantern at Dr. Ritter's hen coop the other night can have it by calling on the doctor. No questions will be asked.—Meyersdale Commercial.

Someone is storing things up for winter by taking bread and butter from cellars. Ten bushels of potatoes have also been taken from Fred Moot's barn.—Marchand Cor. Indiana Progress.

The ball and chain recently purchased by the town council was given its first practical test the first of the week, and from all reports the tourist on whom it was tried became much attached to it.—Brookville Republican.

Two Large Subjects

The Training of Teachers.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—In your editorial on "Salaries and Schools" in your issue of October 11 evidence that the old Adam is still alive is thoroughly manifest. The cry and complaint is always against what men claim to be the weaker sex. The burden is always cast upon Eve's shoulders; she is the cause of all the ills of life and all the errors and failures in school work are laid upon her shoulders. "Come, let us reason together." Is it really the fault of the fair, sweet girls that so earnestly and zealously step from the graduating platform into the schoolroom?

With years of experience my opinion says the fault lies elsewhere; the responsibility rests elsewhere. True there are some teachers total failures, while others under the same regime are in a measure successful, but these successful teachers would be more so if conditions were otherwise. Teachers are not prepared for the work. Our High school training is not sufficient. The normal students of the Pittsburgh High school go through a four years' course in the higher branches, and the last year each girl is permitted to teach three weeks under direction, the training teacher dividing her time among five or more girls in as many rooms, going from one room to the other. At the close of four years the girls graduate, and, having had three weeks' practice with children, are turned loose upon the public with a teacher's certificate and are ready for professional work. If political pull is sufficient some of these girls get schools and begin to teach. The girls confess they do not know how to teach. They would gladly welcome help, but there is no source to go to—no well to drink from, except an occasional institute lecture, which is a poor excuse in the way of help. (Every department should have a supervisor, capable of advising, showing, helping and unifying the work.) The teacher, after five or 10 years of work, concludes she knows how, and yet she has never seen another teacher at work, has never observed her failures and excellencies, for Pittsburgh does not provide any visiting days, and teachers cannot afford to pay a substitute to relieve her for time to visit.

Is the training teacher to blame because the girls fail in teaching? Certainly not; she works hard and nobly, but she cannot turn out skilled teachers in three weeks.

Is the principal of the department to blame? Certainly not; she can only do what the Central board permits.

Is the Central board to blame? Yes and no. No, because they do not know what a training school should be. Yes, because they do not try to find out and spend the money to make it what it should be. Why don't they ask the state superintendent? He could give them a few ideas; he has made a study in that line of business for some years, and would not be influenced much by local "pull."

The Central board has most capable business men, but because they are men whose business occupies them so fully they do not have time to devote to educational matters. The fault lies in the lack of trained, experienced school boards, who have outgrown the idea that anyone can teach school or manage schools. If the Pennsylvania railroad wants a man to run an engine on a special or any other train they do not call in a butcher or a baker to run it. If a lawyer wants an opinion on a point of law he does not call in a preacher to advise with him; if a doctor wants to consult concerning a patient's condition he does not call in a plumber; all these men in their line are efficient, no doubt, but no account in the case to be decided. So it is in the selection of teachers, in the mapping out of curriculums and the establishing of training schools. Why are a lot of men allowed to dictate and decide such questions when they know absolutely nothing about it? There are school directors in Pittsburgh that have no education themselves, yet pose as capable of deciding who good teachers and good principals are and what a school needs. The fault lies here, and the people are responsible because they do not manifest any interest, and the men give their vote (most of them) to the highest bidder, else why that half million from one source to elect Parker? The idea advanced of promoting teachers is not sound doctrine. Each grade has its difficulties and requires skill to meet it. The first primary needs a teacher skillful in presenting knowledge, and she should be a kindergarten graduate.

The intermediate grades need teachers equally skillful, and they need applied psychology at their finger tips and a heart full of the milk of human kindness as well as great power to discipline, for boys at this age are in the childhood of the race, and all their Indian nature is at work; and how to direct this restless, active creature is the work of skilled brain.

The highest grade teacher meets another stage of development, physical and mental, and must be efficient and trained. Each grade needs to be paid and well paid. If teachers dared express themselves the public would know a few reasons why the schools need attention. If politics could be kept out of our schools all would be different. If the opinions of such learned men as our state superintendent and some of our college professors were sought and men of broad culture were permitted to run the public schools and a teacher's position or a principal's position did not depend on political favor, then would the public schools rise to some high standard.

Much more, volumes could be said, should be said.

Why doesn't your paper take up this subject and awaken the people? Guarantee the teachers and the principals not to expose them, and they can tell the people a few things. Increase the salaries; do it thoroughly and quickly.

AN OBSERVER.

The Cost of Filtration.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—I recently noticed in the papers a statement from Controller Larkin that the Philadelphia filtration bureau payroll amounts to only $65,000 a year, and that the expenses of that bureau are paid out of the appropriations and not out of the bond money, as is the case with the Pittsburgh bureau.

This is so far from the facts that the public may like to know the truth in this matter.

In Philadelphia over nine months were spent in the preparation of plans before the first contract was let, and during this time the payroll of the engineers employed in getting out the plans and specifications was over $5,000 a month, or $60,000 a year.

In addition to this work was carried on at the testing station with a payroll of over $1,200 a month, or $14,400 a year.

During the time of construction the engineers' payroll was increased by over $8,000 a month, or $36,000 a year.

The payroll for inspectors could not have been less than $2,500 a month or $30,000 a year.

These items total up to $11,700 a month, or $260,000 a year.

These sums were all paid out of the bond issues, the first of which was for $12,000,000, for the improvement, extension and filtration of the water supply. Since this time other bond issues have been made, making the total bond issue for filtration in Philadelphia $27,000,000.

The total net filtering area in Philadelphia is roughly 70 acres, making the cost per acre, as estimated from the total bond issue, about $385,000. This, of course, includes pipe lines, pumping station and new pumps, but does not include metering the water supply.

The plans for Pittsburgh are for a net filtering area of 46 acres, and the total amount voted for this work has been $7,500,000, giving a comparative cost an acre of $163,000; and this includes pipe lines, pumping stations, pumps and also the installation of meters for the city and a pipe main to the South Side. The comparison is thus wholly in Pittsburgh's favor, and if, as Controller Larkin stated in the papers a few days ago, he has an engineer who will build the Pittsburgh plant for $5,000,000, the cost per net filtering area will be but $100,000 an acre.

It must be understood that these costs are for comparison only and do not in any sense indicate the cost an acre of the filters themselves, which has varied from $34,000 an acre at Albany to as high as $100,000 an acre in Philadelphia, where the cost of the work has been excessively high. O. K.

[Our correspondent errs in supposing that the offer obtained by Controller Larkin from the Philadelphia contractor is for the whole area of 46 acres. It covers the construction of only 25 filters, which it is assumed will give a daily supply of 100,000,000 gallons of filtered water. Thus the cost per acre, according to Controller Larkin's plan, would amount to $200,000.—Ed. Gazette.]

A Neglected Industry.

So far the yield of sauerkraut has not received the attention from government experts which is demanded by the importance of this product in the economy of the sovereign state of Pennsylvania.—Franklin News.

DR. REINECKE PLANS SAVING

His Attempt to Economize With Public Schools Will Have Opposition.

TOO MANY PRINCIPALS NOW

If Dr. H. L. Reinecke's radical resolution, introduced in the central board of education, were to be adopted a radical reduction in the amount expended for public schools would occur. Dr. Reinecke's resolution aims at a reduction in the number of school principals. It is believed that he himself is not sanguine that it will be adopted by the central board, as too many interests will be arrayed against it.

The resolution was offered last Tuesday night and was referred to the committee on teachers and salaries. It provides that in the central board's next allotment of principals one be allotted to a given number of pupils, 2,000 being suggested, instead of one to each subdistrict, as at present. Dr. Reinecke said:

"Some of our sub-districts, taken singly, exceed in area, population, valuation, school attendance and number of school buildings many possible combinations of three and perhaps four contiguous sub-districts, and if the former can be properly operated under one principal the thought occurs: Why not the combinations? It is hard to say whether they can be successfully managed after this idea, but a little investigation will do no harm, and with that idea the matter was referred to the appropriate committee."

How List Could Be Pared.

There are 39 school principals in Pittsburgh, with salaries ranging from $1,400, the lowest, to $2,500, the highest. The lowest has three teachers under him, the highest may have as many as 20 employed in four or five separate school buildings. It is argued that if one principal can successfully manage four or five school houses in one sub-district, why should one principal not be able successfully to manage four or five schools as one sub-district that have heretofore been operated as four districts? It is Dr. Reinecke's opinion that it can be done. He would reduce the principals from 39 to 21.

For example, take the First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth wards. The salaries of the five principals amount to about $8,200 and that of the five assistant principals to $5,000, or $13,200 in all. The Nineteenth ward has five school buildings and only one principal, at a salary of $2,500, and assistants drawing $4,800 in wages, or $7,300 in all, not much more than half of the total amount paid for school supervision in the first five wards of the city. Nobody has complained that the principal in the Nineteenth ward does not manage his five schools as well as each of the other five conducts his one school.

The first five wards are mentioned only as an illustration. If they were to be consolidated into one district the five assistant principals would remain, the school houses would be maintained, the same number of teachers would be employed, but four principals would walk the plank.

Little Hope for the Plan.

Even those who favor some scheme like the one outlined by Dr. Reinecke admit that it is hardly likely to go through. Each member of the central board in practice votes according to the ideas of the sub-district school board that elected him, and no school board will permit its central board member to vote away the cherished privilege of electing a principal at a nice salary. The fact that it would reduce the expenses of school supervision by $27,000 is not considered an argument having much weight with the average school board of Pittsburgh.

How some school boards conduct the business of providing teachers was illustrated some time ago. A principal was called in and questioned about the teachers under him. He said he would like to have them all retained.

"How about Miss ——?" asked one school director.

"She is the best teacher I have," he replied. "I do not say that she is educated better than the others or that she can impart knowledge better, but she is perfect in the management of the younger children. Nobody could manage them better."

When the list of teachers elected was handed to the principal he saw that Miss —— was not re-elected. He was very indignant and wanted to know the reason.

"Well," was the reply by the most influential member of the board, "she is ——'s niece and he went wrong at the last election."

EARNINGS HAVE BEEN POOR.

Republic Iron and Steel Company's Report Will Show Signs of Depression.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Harry Rubens, counsel for the Republic Iron and Steel Company, is in the city. President Alexis W. Thompson will arrive next Friday. Mr. Rubens would make no statement regarding the annual report to the stockholders' meeting in Jersey City next Wednesday.

The earnings of the corporation will be poor, as has been generally expected. President Thompson will announce that all loans have been financed and the corporation is in a better position financially than it has been since its organization. A representative of the corporation declares that the company could have raised $15,000,000 if necessary without soliciting eastern interests.

RESTRAINT FOR MONOPOLIES.

Judge Parker Approves a Pamphlet, Which Declares Common Law Sufficient for Their Suppression.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Judge Alton B. Parker has addressed a letter to Joseph Nimmo, Jr., of this city, in regard to his recent pamphlet entitled "Certain paramount political issues." Judge Parker says:

"I thank you particularly for that part of your pamphlet beginning at page 25, in which you clearly demonstrate the sufficiency of the common law for the suppression of monopolies. It is a most scholarly and effective discussion of the subject. I beg you to be assured of my appreciation.

CARS JUMP TRACK, CAUSING A GENERAL DEMOLITION

While a shifting engine on the Pittsburgh Virginia and Charleston was backing cars into the Mesta machine plant at West Homestead yesterday morning two cars jumped the track and piled into an engine on a siding nearby. Parts of the engine were broken and twisted, and two freight cars were reduced to pieces. A stationary engine on one of the wrecked cars was damaged.

Sunday Closing Costly to Fair.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—In a public speech delivered before the American Street Railway association, President Francis declared today that the world's fair has lost at least $1,000,000 through being compelled to close on Sunday. J. R. Robbins of Pittsburgh read a paper at today's session.

Fire Caused Death of Fish.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Oct. 13.—Fire today destroyed three buildings of the plant of the United Zinc and Chemical Company at Argentine, Kan., a suburb, causing a loss estimated at $100,000. Thousands of fish in the Kaw river were killed by chemicals that escaped from the plant into the stream.

Will Control Steel Rail Industry.

FRANKFORT-ON-MAIN, Oct. 13.—(Special Cable.)—Representatives of German, British, French and Belgian manufacturers, according to a dispatch from Brussels to the Frankfurter Zeitung, have agreed to form an international association to control the steel rail industry.

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SURPRISED BY A NEIGHBOR

The Rev. Homer Luther McKinney of Freeport, one-time evangelist for the Erie conference of the Methodist church, was arrested yesterday by United States Deputy Marshal William Henry and Postoffice Inspector J. H. Wardle and committed to jail on a charge of using the mails to defraud. McKinney, it is alleged, under the aliases of "Mary Robbins" and "Anna Hull," secured money and merchandise from matrimonially inclined men and from business houses throughout the United States, who thought they were corresponding with a woman.

McKinney conducted a photograph gallery at Freeport. On July 20 last he wrote to William Tilley, a wealthy fruit grower and secretary of the California Socialist state committee, at Eureka, Cal., under the name of Mary Robbins. Mary said she had been informed of Tilley by a friend, a preacher, and asked if he cared to carry on correspondence with her, as she was lonesome. Tilley answered the letter, and after that many letters passed between Tilley and the dupe. The correspondence on Mary's part was most affectionate, while Tilley's was more businesslike.

Mary Was Ready to Marry.

Tilley forwarded Mary his photograph and the latter sent a picture of a pretty country girl. August 27 affairs assumed a serious stage, and Mary agreed to go to California and wed Tilley if he sent her $50 to defray her expenses. Tilley sent the money to "Mary Robbins." McKinney presented the money order to the postmaster at Ingleside, and tendered an order from "Mary Robbins," who, he alleged, was his niece, to pay the money to him. McKinney received the money.

Tilley was preparing to receive his bride in Eureka, when James Cuff, a neighbor, entered his house. Tilley asked for congratulations, stating he was going to be married to "Mary Robbins" of Freeport. Cuff then exhibited a letter from "Mary Robbins," which he had received the day before. This letter read:

Ingleside, Pa., Sept. 12.

Mr. Cuff—Please excuse me for writing to you, but the Rev. A. B. Markle, who once lived at your place and who is a friend of mine, gave my your name and told me you were a good man. I live in the country where there are 10 girls to one boy, and rather than marry a drunkard or a fool, I am still single at 28. I have lived on a farm all my life and have a limited education. I can give the best of references, as good as any poor girl can. Now, I would like to exchange pictures with you and correspond. MARY ROBBINS.

Tilley Got Very Busy.

After reading this letter Tilley notified the postoffice authorities, and asked that payment on the "Mary Robbins" money order be stopped. The case was referred to Inspector Wardle of Philadelphia. Wardle learned that all mail addressed to "Mary Robbins" and "Anna Hull," at Ingleside, was received by McKinney. The postoffice inspector intercepted several postal cards deposited by McKinney by which merchandise was ordered to be sent to fictitious maids.

McKinney, who is a cripple, having lost part of his right hand, has an interesting career. He is a regularly ordained Methodist minister, and for a time was an evangelist for the Erie conference, with headquarters at Meadville. He left the ministry and went to Oklahoma, where he served as justice of the peace. He was arrested in 1893 and brought to this city in connection with a pension fraud. He was tried and acquitted. He went to California, where he evidently knew the men he tried to swindle, and a short time ago returned to Freeport. He will have a hearing next Wednesday.

Lay Down in Front of Car.

A well dressed stranger attempted to commit suicide by throwing himself in front of a car on the Pittsburgh Railways lines in Eighth avenue, Homestead, yesterday afternoon. The motorman managed to stop the car before striking the fellow.

STENOGRAPHERS HAD ONIONS; LAWYERS HAD THE MISERY

Pretty stenographers and chivalrous clerks up in the Bakewell building have a nice little chafing-dish club and prepare hot lunches at noon. They have cocoa, canned soups, things "deviled" and all the dainties of the season, but yesterday they were carried away by epicurean appetites and decided to have beefsteak smothered in onions. It was a sad innovation. Somebody allowed the onions to burn. The odor drove the lawyers out of the building and made prospective clients forget to leave their retainers. Now the chafing-dish club must stick to cocoa and "deviled" ham, but must not "devil" the lawyers.

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REWARD OFFERED FOR TREASURER

Salespeople Assembly, 4907 K. of L., Anxious for Apprehension of Max Koshland.

SPLIT IN THE ORGANIZATION

Salespeople's assembly, 4907, Knights of Labor, offer a reward for the capture of Max Koshland, who was treasurer of the organization and mysteriously left the city several days ago and, it is alleged, is short in his accounts $1,368 91. After he had left the city and his accounts were audited information was made before Alderman Groetzinger. This suit was withdrawn and information made before Magistrate Stewart. This was done so the city detectives could assist in locating the alleged defaulter. So far the city sleuths have been unable to find Koshland, and this leg the assembly to offer a reward of $300 for his capture.

Mr. Koshland was under bond furnished by the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, but upon examination it was discovered the assembly did not comply with its contract with the bond company. They failed to have the books audited according to agreement, hence the company claims exemption from making good the alleged shortage. This places the entire loss upon the organization.

While the assembly needs the money with which to meet current obligations, the offer of the reward for Koshland's capture was the result of a plan to surrender the K. of L. charter and secure one from the Retail Clerk's International association, which is affiliated with the American Federation. An effort is being made to have the entire organization affiliate with the retail clerks, but this cannot be done while the K. of L. body has an indebtedness. The charter of the K. of L. cannot be surrendered so long as seven members are willing to retain it. Those in favor of leaving the K. of L. and joining the A. F. of L. do not feel inclined to allow a few K. of L. members to capture Koshland and subsequently secure the money he is said to owe the local.

Summed up, the situation is many of the clerks are favorable to leaving the K. of L., while others are determined to remain with the assembly. This will eventually cause a split and result in the existence of two clerks' organizations. The complications will be brought to a climax quicker by the apprehension of Koshland.

Water Ruins 200,000 Brick.

Fire and water ruined 200,000 brick of the Beckett Brick Company at Pacific and Colombo avenues yesterday morning, causing a loss of about $2,500. The bricks were in a drying kiln and had not yet been burned. Gas set fire to the kiln and the water thrown on the blaze by the firemen destroyed the stock.

DIED.

BAUMGARTEL—On Tuesday, October 11, 1904, at 9 p. m., CHRISTOPHER H. BAUMGARTEL, in the 48th year of his age.

Funeral from his late residence, West Deer township, on Friday, October 14, at 1:30 p. m. Services at East Union church at 2 p. m. Carriages will leave W. H. Miller's livery at 9:30 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BLEMING—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 12:25 a. m., JAMES H. B. BLEMING, infant son of George B. and Sara Pogue Bleming, aged 10 months and 22 days.

Funeral today at 3 p. m. from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs James Pogue, No. 2240 California avenue, Allegheny, Pa. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

CARLTON—Of diphtheria, on Wednesday evening, October 12, 1904, GEORGE, son of Harry C. and Margaret Mason Carlton, aged 8 years.

Funeral from the parents' residence, Lydia street, Twenty-third ward, on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment private.

COTTON—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, EMMELINE, daughter of William and Lucy Cotton, 922 Florence avenue, Avalon, aged 15 years 6 months.

Notice of funeral later.

GLEW—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 12:10 noon, ELIZABETH GLEW, widow of William Glew, and daughter of John Mills, in her 74th year.

Funeral from the family residence, No. 6106 Ravenna street. Notice of time will be given later.

HAMILTON—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, at his residence in Elizabeth, JAMES B. HAMILTON, aged 55 years.

Funeral services at the Methodist Episcopal church in Elizabeth Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

HILLBORNE—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, in Sewickley, MRS. MARGARET T. HILLBORNE of Erie, aged 56 years.

Funeral Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home of her nephew, H. M. Van Cleve, in Logan street.

(Erie papers please copy.)

M'QUAIDE—AGNES GUTHRIE, aged 8 years, only daughter of Joseph R. and Agnes McQuaide, at the family residence, Duquesne, on Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m., of diphtheria.

Funeral services Friday evening, October 14, 1904, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. Interment private at Delmont, Saturday, October 15, 1904.

PORTER—On Monday, October 10, 1904, at Denver, Col., RICHARD CLARK PORTER.

Funeral services at the chapel of H. Samson, 433 Sixth avenue, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

[Wheeling, New Cumberland (W. Va.), Wellsville (O.) papers please copy.]

BOWLES—Suddenly, on Wednesday, October 12, 1904, at 6:30 a. m. at his daughter's residence, Cleveland, Ohio, SCOTT BOWLES, husband of Mary Bowles (nee Koontz).

Funeral from the family residence, 115 Itasca street, Allegheny, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

[St. Louis (Mo.), Altoona (Pa.) and Bedford county (Pa.) papers please copy.]

SCHURR—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 2:45 p. m., at his residence, 83 Stanton avenue, Millvale, AUGUST F. SCHURR, husband of Mary Schurr (nee Popp), in his 65th year.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 p. m., from St. Paul's Reformed church, Forty-fourth street, city. Interment private.

THOMAS—On Thursday, October 13, 1904, at 7 p. m., HERBERT JAMES, youngest son of Josephine (nee Mulvihill), and the late Herbert Thomas, aged 6 years, of diphtheria.

Funeral from his late residence, 152 South Highland avenue, East End, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

WOLFE—On Tuesday, October 11, 1904, at 9:50 p. m., JOHN RICHARD WOLFE, infant son of J. E. Wolfe and Birdie B. Wolfe, aged 11 months and 9 days.

Funeral Friday, October 14, at 10 a. m., from the family residence, No. 7420 Mt. Vernon street. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

(Bedford county papers please copy.)

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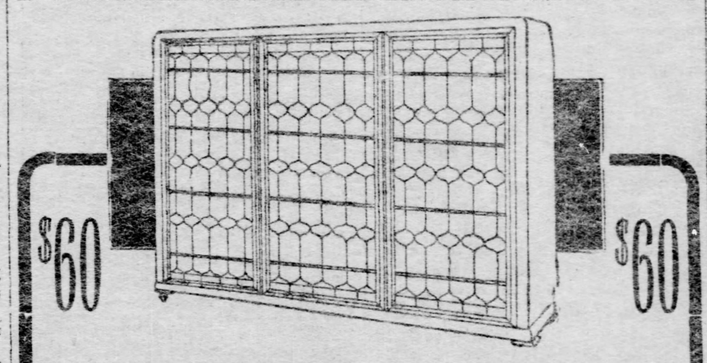

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They are strictly up-to-date stylish new effets, made of the best materials—Velvets, Ribbons, Chenille Braids, French Flowers, etc.

Colors, Black, Brown, Gray, Green and Navy Blue.

B. & B.

CHILDREN'S HEADWEAR

Prettiest styles, and more than we've ever shown.

Prices to prove buying here saves you money.

Poke Bonnets, $1.00 to $18.00—Fur, Lace, Ribbon and real Ostrich Plume trimming.

For $5.00 a line of winsome Brown, Navy, Cardinal and Black Bonnets with fetching facings in a variety of matched colors.

Shaggy Bearskin Caps, $1.00.

Stitched Hats, 50c to $4.50—for $3.00 we offer a pretty stitched Hat with wide silk sash failing down from the crown.

Imported Wide Brim Beaver Hats, $4.50.

Patent Leather Hats, $3.00 and $4.50.

All the Toques are in and they're charmingly pretty—price range 25c to $1.50—for 35c we have accomplished a master stroke.

B. & B.

GAS LAMPS, ELECTROLIERS, ETC.

Time and labor-saving devices have brought the real cost of manufacture of this class of goods far below what it formerly was—but there's been no general tendency to bring the retail price down.

And it is not difficult to get a fancy price for a rich magnificent looking Gas Lamp.

But all merchandise this store sells is sold for a small profit—any you'll find that method saves you considerable money.

Portable Gas Lamps, $1.50 to $15.00—100 styles—Old Brass, Oxidized and Pompeiian finish.

For $1.50 we offer a portable Gas Lamp of such merit as we think was never offered to the people of Western Pennsylvania.

The price includes every detail necessary to set the lamp up for instant use.

Welsbach burner and mantle—white porcelain shade, chimney and tubing.

Beaded Fringe—all colors—for 10-inch rings and tripods, $1.25 each—50c under the market.

Electroliers and Portable Electric Lamps, $5.00 to $40.00.

Special 100-candle power Reading and Sewing Lamps — heavy sheet brass—nickle plated—10-inch White shade, $2.00.

Large variety of beautiful decorated Oil Lamps, $5.00 to $40.00—special value and variety for $5.00.

B. & B.

ART PANELS, 25c

We offer you one or more of a thousand Panel Pictures 30 by 40 inches wide, printed on cotton cloth, for 25c each.

A picture of rare artistic excellence—two female figures modestly draped enjoying luxurious ease.

Your choice of five different color combinations.

May be attached to the wall as permanent panels, framed as pictures, used as banners or in screens or adapted to other decorative purposes.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

B. & B.

SUCCESS ATTENDS

Our efforts to win women's approval of our Autmun Coat Suits, and the accompanying crown of merit, involved lavish expenditure of thought and energy.

We devoted every effort to secure a collection that might be considered ideal, representing the best taste of the best designers, with regard to the various models which Fashion has accepted.

We had to seek high and low for them—examine the details with critical eye, compare merits, and decide between the really worthy, and the merely pretentious.

Finding them, we had to have the courage of our convictions and place orders corresponding to our expectations, as it takes time to make Women's Suits right.

Now—when you want them, we have them here, and have them right.

Over five hundred new Coat Suits have already been received this week—ideal Coat Suits—and we expect you for your own good to give them attention.

Women's Coat Suits $13.50 to $125.00.

The fact that we are willing to price them less than customary may in nowise be construed a disadvantage.

Will you see what we have for $25.00?

B. & B.

TAN COATS, $10.00

—Coats of unusual merits—good cloth well cut and tailored.

Three different styles silk or satin lined.

We set out to accomplish something effective when these coats were contracted for—paid good money to have them made better than any Coats so far sold for $10.00.

Hope those who are interested in a good moderate priced Coat will get here and at least see them.

Tan and Black Coats, $5.00 to $35.00—many different makes and models.

Three-quarter Coats, $8.50 to $80.00.

Fur lined Coats, $35.00 to $135.

Rain Coats, $8.50 to $35.00.

Something exceptional in Rain Coats is being offered at $20.00.

B. & B.

SATINE PETTICOAT SALE

Sale that will make increased business because we're offering ten extraordinary numbers at $1.00—extraordinary quality — extraordinary style — extraordinary workmanship, at the price.

Fine Black Mercerized Satine Petticoats—16 inch graduated accordeon pleated flounce with tucked foot ruffle, $1.50 — six other styles at this price.

Very fine imported Mercerized Petticoats—full flare flounce accordeon pleated—three-piece ruffle, $2.50—seven other styles at this price.

Large choice assortments Satine Petticoats, 75c to $4.50.

Very fine imported Mohair Petticoats handsomely made — Blue, Brown and Black, $4.50

Mohair Petticoats, $3.00 to $6.50.

Black Moire Velour Petticoat—walking length, 36, 38 and 40 inches long—strapped flounce — made exclusively for us—$2.00—and very special at that price.

Black Moreen Petticoats, $2.00 to $5.00.

B. & B.

NEW FALL NECKWEAR

Just received several pretty styles new Linen Stocks with fancy silk ties.

White Linen fancy stitched and fancy trimmed—with jaunty little silk four-in-hand ties—many different styles and colors, 50c, $1.00, $1.25.

Silk Stocks with fluffy silk four-in-hands and tabs — plain and embroidered, 75c.

Charming new Turnover Collars, 25c and 35c—we think the money consideration involved in the purchase of one of these will do more to place this store in a niche above as a money saving place to buy than anything in fresh new Neckwear offered in years.

New Collar and Cuff Sets, 50c and 75c.

Wonderful variety Lace and hand made Stocks, 15c to $5.00—and values unapproached.

Important special—Black Liberty Silk Collarette, $2.25—see it and be astonished.

Ostrich Boas, $10.00 to $35.00 we assume we sell ostrich boas decidedly to your financial advantage—if we do, you are interested if you need a boa.

If you don't come and see you won't know whether we do or not.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

Always Remember the Full Name **Laxative Bromo Quinine** Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days
E. W. Grove on every box. 25c

MEANS DISORDER AND DISASTER

Col. Church Sums Up the Result of a Vote for Parker and Davis.

NOT THE TIME TO CHANGE

Col. Samuel Harden Church was the principal orator at the big Republican rally held in Friendship school, Twentieth ward, last night. The colonel gave many reasons why President Roosevelt should be continued in power. Daniel Ashworth also made a strong argument in favor of a "stand-pat" policy.

Maj. A. P. Burchfield was chairman of the meeting. On opening the speaking, Maj. Burchfield urged the Republicans of the Twentieth ward to vote and to see that every man in the ward gets to the polls on election day. He also called attention, as a business man, to the prosperity of the country under Republican rule and with a protective tariff in operation and drew a comparison between conditions existing now and those under the Democratic administrations when idle mills, smokeless stacks, want and hunger were the accompaniments of the policies pursued.

Col. Church spoke in part as follows:

The first question which, it seems to us, ought to be considered by the American voter is this: Are you willing that the monetary system of this country, with all the gigantic interests of capital and labor which are inseparably bound up in it, shall be entrusted to the control of a man who has twice voted to destroy it? In spite of Judge Parker's spectacular telegram announcing that he regards the gold standard as firmly and irrevocably established, the Republican party will never consent to have one of its most difficult and important achievements pushed out of the field of discussion by the mere assertion of a man who has persistently assailed that achievement.

Dangerous Foe to Sound Money.

All men know that the Democratic party, harboring within its ranks the advocates of every vicious theory which human wisdom has discarded, has for a generation been the world's most dangerous foe to sound money. Look for the origin of greenbackism, of fiat money, of every one of the hundred and one propositions for unsound finance, every one of them visionary or dishonest, which have been forced into public discussion during the past thirty years, and you will find that they have all had their birth and development in the Democratic party. You will also find that every one of them has met a violent death at the hands of the Republican party.

Irrevocably established? Why is your house irrevocably safe from the attack of the midnight burglar? It is not because of the policeman who stands on guard at the corner? And so is the gold standard irrevocably established, if you will permit me to use the paradox, just so long as the Republican party continues to control the people's legislation. There is no irrevocable law. Nobody ever attempted to enact an irrevocable law since the time of Lycurgus in ancient Greece, and when Lycurgus died, his irrevocable laws died with him.

The Democratic party is very much worried in the attempt to find a definite policy in regard to the Philippine islands. Its candidate at first declared himself in favor of the self-government, but when his agitated advisers called his attention to the fact that that was the ground on which the Republican party was working out the Philippine question, he wrote his "Dear Milburn" letter as a sort of postscript to his acceptance speech, protesting that when he said "self-government" he meant "independence."

Never Wanted Philippines.

Now the Republican party never wanted the Philippine islands. They came to us through the accident of war—nay, if civilization is a divine purpose, they came to us as an act of Providence, in order that the American flag might fly over them until their people could work out their deliverance from the tyranny of Spanish rule. The doctrine of the consent of the governed presupposes a standard of intelligence whereby man may make a right use of the prerogatives of government, and this standard has not yet been attained by the Filipinos save among a small minority. Is civilization to halt and turn back when it meets a band of headhunters who will not consent that cannibalism shall be abolished? With free schools, newspapers and railroads the civilization of the Philippine islands will be accomplished in God's own time; and it does not take a seventh son to foretell that under a prolongation of Republican administration the brown men will be voting at Manila long before the Democratic party will permit the black men to vote in Mr. John Sharp Williams' district in Mississippi. The Democratic party is neither sane nor honest in its Philippine declaration, and they know, as all men know, that to haul down the American flag at Manila would convert the tranquil Philippine islands into a wilderness of tigers.

Our Democratic friends are making a great outcry on the subject of the trusts, but do you know that the only legislation that has ever been enacted on that question has been Republican legislation, and that the only opposition which that legislation has encouraged has come from Democratic members of congress? Our opponents are grouping for a policy on the trust question, but they cannot formulate one against the splendid practical record which the Republican party has made on that subject.

Stand Like Hungry Wolves.

Judge Parker and his party declare that a protective tariff is public robbery. Well, do you know why the American workingman is the highest paid laborer in the world? It is because of the protective tariff of the Republican party. Yet the Democratic party, holding a rooted and unconquerable aversion to the tariff, stands like hungry wolves ready to destroy the elaborate system which has done more to advance the material interests of America than any other influence that has ever entered into the development of our national life. President Cleveland won his second election on a free trade platform, and you know what followed.

The Democratic party cannot discuss these important problems from their standpoint with any expectation of winning the election, and so they have invented a question of their own and thrust it forward as an imperative emergency topic, and that question is the personality of Theodore Roosevelt. They say he is impulsive, ambitious, warlike and imperialistic, and that his personality is a menace to republican institutions. Patrick Henry once said that he knew of no way to judge the future but by the past. I do not believe that an honest analysis of President Roosevelt's public record will show that the country's institutions are in peril through him.

Foundation of Righteous Manhood.

In the first place, all his talents are builded upon a foundation of righteous manhood. He is well educated and splendidly endowed. He is a man of action and a man of thinking. What might be impulse in a shallow man is quick and true decision in him. What would be weak ambition in a shallow man, is noble aspiration in him. Instead of being warlike and imperialistic he has evaded the opportunities for war with Great Britain, Germany and Italy when they were attacking Venezuela, preserving the spirit of our Monroe doctrine without rashly offending those powerful nations. He might have provoked England to war on the Canadian boundary question, but he gained a complete victory for the American contentions by peaceful arbitration. He might have fought Russia about the open door to our commerce, but his magnificent diplomacy gained the open door and held Russia's friendship, too. He settled the anthracite coal strike when it was distressing the whole country. He has faithfully handed over to Cuba the government of the Cuban republic, and secured for her a reciprocity treaty.

But the greatest benediction of his administration is the Panama canal. For 400 years other men have dreamed of piercing the American isthmus, but this man, who is no dreamer, perfected the plan in one year, and perfected it so well that every Democratic senator voted for his treaty, and the work is now in progress.

The wisest, the ablest men in the nation sit at his counsel table; and the country has gone to bed in perplexity on many a great problem only to come down to breakfast in the morning to find that President Roosevelt has settled that problem in the only way in which wise statesmanship could settle it.

Not the Time to Change.

Unthinking men sometimes talk heedlessly of a change of government. There are times when a change of government is a good thing. It was so in 1856 when the Democracy was in control. But it is never a good time to change any institution when it is successful. What man that owns their stocks and bonds would thrust out the men who operate the Pennsylvania railroad, or the United States Steel Corporation? The very assurance of the stability of these corporations lies in the stability of their management. And it is so with governments.

A vote to change the government means a vote for the party that is disorganized, torn by internal discord, having 20 minds on every subject of public concern, and a definitive policy on not one of them. A vote for Judge Parker means to frighten capital, the most timid as it is the most essential element in material progress, back into those inaccessible hiding places which it found for itself in President Cleveland's time. A vote for Judge Parker means such a disturbance in the industrial world as will send values tumbling down to new low records and start another and larger host of America's working population to tramp the public highways. A vote for Parker and Davis is a vote for disorder and disaster.

And against this, a vote for President Roosevelt will prolong all those beneficent policies which have exalted the spirit of our nation, attracted the admiration of the world, and confirmed the grand old party in its mission of liberty and prosperity at home and on earth, peace and good will toward men.

Thirty-Sixth Ward Meeting.

Attorneys James M. Clark and John A. Murphy addressed the Republicans of the Thirty-sixth ward at the Thaddeus Stevens school house last night. James M. Clark concluded a review of the records and present positions of the Republican and Democratic parties as follows:

The American voters are not going to take the time to examine into the question of the sanity or safety of the Democratic party at the present time to decide whether it is now safe and sane or whether if it is this may be only a lucid interval from which a relapse is likely to come when they know by electing Theodore Roosevelt president for the next four years the government will be administered on the cardinal principles of the grand old party of Lincoln, Grant, Garfield and McKinley, under whose administration our nation has steadily advanced in wealth and power until today she occupies the head seat at the table of nations.

FOUR BOYS ARE BURNED BY SEWER GAS IN BLOOMFIELD

One Threw Lighted Match Into a Manhole and a Series of Explosions Resulted.

People living in the vicinity of Penn and Millvale avenues were startled by a series of loud explosions last night and on hurrying to the corner of the streets found four small boys suffering from burns. The first explosion was caused by a boy throwing a lighted match into a manhole, which opens to the big sewer in Penn avenue. The injured are:

FRANK HABER, aged 4, of 4903 Penn avenue; badly burned about the face and arms.

RAYMOND SLATER, aged 6, of 4719 Dearborn street; burned about the face and arms.

GEORGE LIST, aged 7, of 4719 Penn avenue; burned about the face.

EDWARD TAICKE, aged 10, of 4923 Penn avenue; face badly burned.

Sewer gas had collected in the manhole and when the boy threw the lighted match into the hole the explosion that followed lifted the iron lid several feet into the air. Immediately following the first report, there were six more explosions and people in the streets narrowly escaped being struck by the lids which fell on the sidewalks.

Harber and Slater were taken to the office of Dr. J. C. Mumford, 5000 Penn avenue, and after having their burns attended to they were removed to their homes. The List and Taicke boys were attended at their homes. Fearing other explosions Policemen Luke Conners and Murray Johnston were detailed to keep people away from the vicinity till an inspector arrived to investigate the sewers.

PRETTY TYPEWRITER WAS CAUSE OF MUCH TROUBLE

Married Her Employer After His Wife Had Secured a Divorce from Him.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 13.—The marriage of D. A. Reidy, a wealthy man connected with the Kentucky Distillers and Warehouse Company, to Miss Rachel Scott, his stenographer, has just become known.

About a year ago Miss Scott, who was a pretty country girl, came to Cincinnati to accept a position as secretary to Mr. Reidy, who at that time was living with his wife and children here. Mrs. Reidy, who comes from a prominent Kentucky family, took an interest in the little country girl and for a time they were inseperable.

Suddenly Mrs. Reidy filed suit for divorce, which was granted. Miss Scott left the city shortly after, saying she had secured a better position, and then Reidy closed up his office and left the city. No one had an idea that the two were together until yesterday, when Miss Scott's mother in Milford, O., received a letter from her daughter saying that she and Reidy had been married last June in Hamilton, immediately after the divorce.

POSSE SURROUNDS WOODS.

Officers Believe They Have Man Accused of Murder Located in Michigan.

ST. JOSEPH, MICH., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Edward Donahue, who, it is alleged, killed A. M. Northrop of Benton Harbor last week, and then tossed the body into a deep ditch, is believed to be surrounded in the woods near Grand Junction, 30 miles north of here.

Northrop's horse, which Donahue has been driving since the killing, was abandoned by him in Kalamazoo. When notified that Donahue had entered Michigan, Sheriff Collins of this city, with a posse of deputies, left this afternoon for Grand Junction.

CO-EDS WEAR THE COLORS.

One Blue and One White Stocking Cover the Feet of Appleton College Girls.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—To what an extent college loyalty will go is shown in a story which comes down from Appleton.

It is stated the fair co-eds of that institution of learning, in their desire to always sport the colors of the college, blue and white, have taken to wearing one white and one blue stocking. The novelty was introduced by two girls from Milwaukee and adopted by the entire body of co-eds.

TOOK A SEVERE BEATING TO SAVE HIS WAGES

With $28, his two weeks' pay, clasped tightly in his hand and the hand buried in his trouser pocket, John Naso, a Hungarian laborer employed at the Edgar Thomson furnaces, last evening prevented two highwaymen from robbing him. The holdup occurred near Naso's home, 928 Washington avenue, Braddock, at 7 o'clock, when the street is generally crowded with people. Although Naso was rolled about the street and badly beaten, he retained his hold on his pay. The footpads departed unmolested.

Suspicious of Many Murders.

HOUGHTON, MICH., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The body of Ivar Ryntalairen was found floating in Portage lake this morning and the body of William Hanna was recovered from the same lake this afternoon. Two bodies were found last week. The unusual number of drownings during the past four weeks is causing comment and leads to suspicion of possible murders by the wholesale.

Mayflower Going Out of Commission.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—It was decided today that the president's yacht Mayflower is to be placed out of commission and her officers assigned to the new battleships which soon will be ready for service. It had been expected that Admiral Dewey would go to the winter maneuvers on the Mayflower, but as she will not be available he probably will go on the Dolphin.

Bryan Speaks at Fort Wayne.

FT. WAYNE, IND., Oct. 13.—An immense crowd greeted William J. Bryan at the political meeting in Princess rink tonight, which concluded the second day of the speaker's tour of Indiana. Mr. Bryan's argument followed closely the addresses which he has delivered since the tour began. He spoke at a number of towns today.

A Dinner Pudding of
Grape-Nuts
is "A DEAR"
and the concentration of nourishment.
Many Recipes in pkg.
Get the famous little book, "The Road to Wellville," in each pkg.

SELECT COUNCIL MUST CONFIRM

John F. Steel Will Wait Until His Appointment as Treasurer is Approved.

RESIGNS AS COUNCILMAN

John F. Steel has decided to wait until select council confirms his appointment before entering upon the duties of city treasurer. The confirmation will doubtless occur on Monday and the new custodian of the city's cash box will take charge the following day. He has filed his bond of $100,000 with William Montgomery and Thomas Evans as sureties.

Mr. Steel yesterday tendered his resignation, as a member of common council from the Twenty-second ward, to President R. B. Ward. His successor will be elected at the November election. So far there has been no decision as to the candidate. There seems to be no disposition on the part of select council to fight the confirmation of Mr. Steel. A meeting has been called for Monday. In addition to approving the appointment of the new treasurer, it will receive the resignation of A. H. Leslie, member from the Seventeenth ward, and administer the oath of office to P. J. Toole of the First ward, the successor of George S. Fleming. Mr. Toole requests that flowers be omitted. It may be that the members who are opposed to releasing the Pittsburgh Railways Company's ordinances from the special committee will prevent a quorum. In this case, Mr. Steel will not be able to take his office on Tuesday.

Brennen and Clark Protested.

W. J. Brennen and James A. Clark had a long conference with Mayor Hays yesterday afternoon. They called to enter a mild protest against the appointment of Mr. Steel, as they believed that the office should have been given to a Democrat. This formality attended to, they put in a plea for the Democrats now holding clerkships in the treasury. The mayor told them that there was no disposition to make any changes.

Many Republican clubs will improve the occasion of the monster Republican mass meeting at Carnegie hall, Allegheny, tomorrow evening as an opportunity to turn out in uniform and the display of marching men will attract attention in the two cities. No regular parade and no line of march has been arranged, but each organization turns out on its own initiative and selects its own route, the one common feature being that they will make Carnegie hall, Allegheny, a terminal. The Young Men's Republican Tariff club, which acts as the Pittsburgh escort, and the P. C. Knox club, which acts as the Allegheny escort of the speakers from the Hotel Duquesne, Pittsburgh, to the hall will be the earliest on the streets. Many other clubs in the two cities will reach the hall after the speakers. The old soldiers' organizations are particularly anxious to reach the hall early to be certain of hearing Maj. Alexander McDowell, who is the favorite with them. Congressman Edward B. Vreeland, Hon. W. H. Graham and John C. Haymaker, Esq., will, with Maj. McDowell, reach the hall promptly, in order that the speaking may begin at 8 o'clock.

Many Meetings Tonight.

A Republican massmeeting for the Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth and Eighteenth wards will be held this evening in Keane's auditorium, Forty-fourth and Butler streets, Seventeenth ward, at which addresses will be delivered by A. C. Robertson, Col. Samuel Harden Church, James Francis Burke and E. E. Cotton. A. J. Edwards and William J. Metcalf will be the speakers at a Twelfth ward Republican meeting in the Springfield school house tonight. Other Republican meetings and speakers this evening are: Wickersham school house, Twenty-fourth ward, F. C. Beinhauer, Daniel Ashworth and Joseph G. Armstrong; Rober's hall, Dorseyville, Indiana township, H. I. Riley, Capt. John A. Reed and T. Carlisle Moore; Sharon school house, Moon township, T. I. Gartner, Harry S. Lydick and Harry Diamond; No. 7 school house, Moon Run, Robinson township, W. T. Treadway, Dr. A. J. Barchfeid and John S. Robb, Jr.

Announcements of the following meetings and speakers next week was made by the Republican county committee yesterday:

Monday evening: Montooth borough public school house—John F. Cox, William D. Grimes and Capt. John A. Reed. Snowden township, Reed's hall—Perry A. Shaner, Dr. A. J. Barchfeld and J. W. Moreland. Tuesday: Glassport, National Bank hall—H. I. Riley, Capt. John A. Reed and H. H. Negley. Twenty-fourth ward, Pittsburgh, Wickersham public school—William M. Benham, Dr. A. J. Barchfeld and Charles H. Kline. Wednesday: Spring Garden borough public school hall—W. H. Graham, Capt. John A. Reed and H. I. Riley. Thursday: Bellevue, Masonic hall—Col. Samuel Harden Church, John S. Weller and Charles A. O'Brien. Pittsburgh, Thirty-eighth ward, Liederkranz hall—John F. Cox, R. H. Jackson, H. H. Negley and Joseph G. Armstrong. Osborn borough public school—Capt. John A. Reed, Harry S. Lydick and H. I. Riley. Carnegie, Carnegie Music hall—Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, Matthew Lowrie and others.

Pittsburgh—Fourteenth ward, Soho public school—William A. Blakeley, A. J. Edwards, J. W. Moreland and E. E. Cotton. Friday: Mifflin township, New England public school—Dr. A. J. Barchfeld, Capt. John A. Reed and C. W. Ashley. East McKeesport public school hall—Joseph R. McQuade, W. H. Coleman and H. H. Negley. Coraopolis—Bank hall—James Francis Burke, Joseph A. Langfitt and J. W. Moreland. Pittsburgh, Thirty-eighth ward—Thaddeus Stevens public school—John S. Weller, John F. Cox and T. L. Gartner. Saturday: Natrona, Harrison township, Natrona opera house—H. I. Riley, Capt. John A. Reed, H. H. Negley, J. M. Esler and W. H. Graham.

WOUND IS MYSTERY.

Young Italian Dies at Homeopathic Hospital and the Circumstances of His Injury Are Unknown.

Philip Fazzelli, aged 19, of Shousetown died at the Homeopathic hospital at 11 o'clock last night from a bullet wound in the stomach received early yesterday morning. Just how Fazzelli received his injuries is not known. He was brought to the hospital by two friends. No explanation was made to the hospital surgeons how his injuries were inflicted.

The wound was made in the back and passed through the intestines. This makes the third Italian who has been brought to the hospitals in this city recently who have been shot, and no information given as to how they received their wounds. Two of these men died, and the coroner is still investigating their cases.

By taking strychnine tablets in mistake for pepsin, Mrs. Charlotte Abel Howe, aged 65, of McIntyre avenue, Allegheny, died at her home last night. The woman had been taking pepsin as a medicine and last night went to the cupboard and found a box which she thought contained the tablets. When her family returned they found her lying on the floor in convulsions. Physicians were summoned, but she died before they could aid her.

Joseph Shabinsky of 10 Townsend street died at the Mercy hospital at 7 o'clock last night from injuries received during the day on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. He was run over by a freight car and both his legs were so badly crushed that amputation was necessary.

FOX MAKES UGLY CHARGE AGAINST BROTHER MEMBER

B. A. Culp was committed to jail last night by Alderman Oyer on a charge of embezzlement on information made by John W. Fox. It is alleged Culp and Fox are members of the same council of Jr. O. U. A. M. and Culp was given $800 to pay to a widow of a member, who recently died. Fox alleges that Culp appropriated the money.

PERSONALS

The employes of the Commercial National bank and the Commercial Trust Company had a dinner at the Hotel Henry last evening. The honor guest was Frederick Lacey Stout, teller in the bank. The reason of the spread was because Mr. Stout has decided to join the benedicts, and has selected a young woman in Albany, N. Y. He will leave the early part of next week to pilght his troth. There were 19 at the table and all present gave the honor guest their well wishes.

John T. Morgan, traveling agent of the Hamburg-American line, with headquarters in New York, is in Pittsburgh in the interest of his company. "Although a Democrat," said Mr. Morgan, "I think Roosevelt is safe and fully believe he will carry New York. Nearly every business man of the country realizes that a change in the administration would be detrimental to business enterprises. That business is picking up is evident by the number of prepaid tickets being sold by our company." Mr. Morgan is arranging for a special cruise to the orient. Last year a special party of 40 left Pittsburgh on the oriental cruise and fully twice that number are expected to make the journey this year.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Residents of nearby towns at the local hotels last night were:

Colonial—T. F. Martin, Johnstown; T. L. McKeen, Wilcox; J. E. Borland, Wheeling; A. M. Tuskin, Bradford; W. G. Gilbert, Indiana. Newell's—J. Lorimar, Butler.

Lincoln—George C. Sturgiss, Morgantown; L. M. Graff, Blairsville.

Duquesne—Dr. W. J. Lawson, Kittanning.

Criswold—H. P. Collins, Mt. Pleasant; J. H. Carey, Oil City; E. S. MacPhearson, Connellsville.

Henry—S. R. Moss, Akron; J. R. Ridell, Youngstown; R. M. Goldberg, Clearfield; John Reedy, Gallitzin; A. L. Kline, Hastings.

Monongahela House—G. H. Hocking, Meyersdale; H. R. Graser, Washington; T. A. Shumaker, Bellefonte; J. S. Burns, Imperial.

Seventh Avenue—T. B. Clark, Indiana; D. F. O'Rorke, Altoona; J. A. Mitzler, Punxsutawney; E. J. Robinson, Sharon.

THE MAN IN ARMOR

Was no match for the microbe. Giants he might slay but this microscopic organism defied him, and in many a campaign more men were destroyed by camp diseases than by the enemy's sword.

The one way to arm against microbic disease is to keep the blood pure. Impure blood both breeds and feeds disease.

The signs of impure blood are easy to read. Pimples, boils, and eruptions generally proclaim the blood to be impure. Scrofulous scores and swellings, salt-rheum, eczema, etc., are other signs of a corrupt condition of the blood.

Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood and cures diseases caused by the blood's impurity. It cures scrofulous sores, boils, pimples, eczema and other defiling and disfiguring diseases.

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The Republican County Leader Talks to Allegheny Committeemen on Campaign.

FRANCIS J. TORRANCE SPEAKS

The campaign was formally opened last night in Allegheny City with a meeting of the members of the city and county committeemen at headquarters in East Diamond street. Almost every election district on the North Side was represented, and there was a lack of that apathy of which so much is heard. City Chairman Francis J. Torrance presided. County Chairman Thomas J. Ford made the principal address. Others who spoke were Charles A. Muehlbronner, John Francies and John H. Henderson.

It was to allow Mr. Ford to give the committeemen a talk on organization that the meeting was called. No words were wasted in a long, idle address by the county chairman. His speech was right to the point. He said:

Don't get a false idea in your minds. Committee chairmen don't win elections. We need individual work. Every voting precinct in this city must have a vigilance committee of 15 consistent Republicans. In appointing this committee there should be care taken that those on it are real Republicans.

Allegheny county will undoubtedly give President Roosevelt a big majority in the national election, but we want to give him the biggest majority that was ever given anyone by Allegheny county voters. The political situation in this locality in the future depends largely on the vote that is given the Republican ticket in this coming election. We have the Republican flag nailed to our county court house after a most memorable battle, and we want to keep it there for all time. A Republican victory means prosperity to our nation. The Democratic platform is almost a reproduction of that of the Republican party. There is but one issue in this fight, and that issue is Roosevelt. The Democrats can find no plank to stand on firmly, so they are abusing our president.

The necessity for a large vote in Allegheny City was pointed out by Mr. Torrance. Because the representation on the county committee depends entirely on the vote cast on the North Side, the speaker urged that every voter in each precinct be visited and asked to vote.

Senator Muehlbronner and Mr. Francies argued for enthusiasm and an unprecedented vote.

A big mass meeting for Republicans will be held on Saturday night at Allegheny Carnegie Music hall.

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As we divided the stock into three lots for the purpose of this "Children's Day" sale, we put all the higher priced coats into this third lot. Not one of these coats ever sold for less than $10 and many of them are worth $12 to $15. There are not only a few of each kind to select from, but hundreds and hundreds of them—aisles full and counters full. This lot includes beautiful kerseys, piped with velvet, velvet collars, military effect, with and without capes, etc.; zibelines in all shades; fancy and novelty mixtures in full length, three-quarter and tourist effects, both piped and plain.

There are also about 150 of the famous Peter Thompson Coats of extra wide, blue cheviot, in short, three-quarter and full lengths; 300 of the celebrated Wooltax Coats, which are admired everywhere for their exclusive styles; some of them have reveres of full length silk velvet. And don't fail to see the beautiful line of imported kerseys with 24 vertical tucks alternated with silk straps. Tomorrow you can have your choice of the entire lot at $4.90 regardless of the values which, as already stated, range from $10 to $15.

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PARKER EVADED PRESIDENT'S QUERY

Silent on Northern Securities Case, Says Taft—Speaks at Union League Reception.

POINT MADE BY JUDGE DILLON

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Many prominent Republicans were present tonight at the ratification meeting and reception tendered by the Union League club to Lieut.-Gov. Higgins, Republican candidate for governor, and to his associates on the state ticket.

Cornelius N. Bliss, president of the club and treasurer of the National Republican committee, presided at the meeting. In introducing Secretary of War Taft, he paid high tribute to the secretary's conduct of affairs in the Philippines and particularly to his strong upholding of the policy of President Roosevelt in the islands.

Points in Taft's Speech.

Discussing Judge Parker's remarks in his letter of acceptance on the executive pension order, Secretary Taft said:

Neither Judge Parker nor the Constitution club has been able to specify a single violation of the Constitution of the United States except the issuance of a pension order, in which he followed, and with considerably less exercise of power, the precedent set him by President Cleveland and President McKinley.

Referring to the subject of trusts, Judge Taft said that President Roosevelt had directed his attorney general to proceed against a combination of railroads, which, if it would have been allowed to stand as legal, would justify and might have led to the union of all the railroads of the country under a gigantic trust. The president challenged the Democrats to know whether they favored the suit against the Northern Securities Company or not, but Judge Parker is discreetly silent.

Judge Taft devoted a large part of his address to the Philippine question, advancing the same arguments as in previous speeches.

President Ordered Postal Investigation.

Regarding alleged frauds in the postal service, Judge Taft said:

President Roosevelt selected two very prominent gentlemen, one a Democrat and the other an independent—both of them most able lawyers, but without the slightest party bias in favor of the administration—and he directed that they have the fullest opportunity to investigate the corruption said to exist there, and to prosecute every person found in the slightest degree tinged with it. They made this investigation, they made a comprehensive report, and they found the criminals and they prosecuted them. Some of them were acquitted, others have been convicted upon long penitentiary sentences, and the cases of others are pending.

Taking up the subject of government expenses he said, in part:

Judge Parker's theory seems to be that in Democratic administrations there is much more economy than in Republican administrations. I think it will be found on an examination of the figures, that even in times of profound peace there is a tendency upward in government expense from one administration to another and that this occurs whether the administration be Democratic or Republican.

Comparative Figures Given.

It appears that the expenditure per dollar of valuation of the national wealth for the decade between 1871 and 1880 was 7.2 mills, for the decade between 1881 and 1890 it was 4.8 mills and for the decade between 1891 and 1900 it was 5 mills. Leaving out the $50,000,000 spent for the Panama canal, the total expenditures for 1904 upon a conservative computation of the wealth of the United States in that year, represented a percentage of 4.8 mills, or the same ratio as the period of 1880 and 1890, in which 1880 was the minimum year. If, however, the average of the period from 1901 to 1904 is taken, the average total of expenditures is found to be only 4.7 mills on the valuation.

A letter was read from former Judge John F. Dillon, in which he pointed out that the "Parker Constitution club," made up of Democratic lawyers, had only found one act of the president to attack, and that was his pension order. He said the law provides for a pension for "mental and physical disability of a permanent character," and as this statute does not define such a disability, it by necessary implication leaves the decision to the executive department of the government. Any other view would render the statute ineffective. The executive department decided, at an early date after this statute was enacted, that old age was such a disability. This decision has been generally acquiesced in from that date to the present. President Cleveland fixed the age at 75. Under President McKinley's order, issued in 1897, the age of 65 was fixed. The order of President Roosevelt, issued March 15, 1904, changed these periods for the maximum and minimum disability from 75 years and 65 years, respectively, to 70 years and 62 years.

Mr. Moody Cancels Dates.

POTTSVILLE, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The Republican national committee today notified County Chairman Leib that Attorney General Moody, who was booked for campaign speeches in this congressional district, has been assigned to other places. On account of the demand for his services in doubtful states, Moody's dates in several Pennsylvania towns have been canceled.

PUCKETY'S CENTENNIAL.

Famous Old Church Celebrates Its One Hundred Years of Service.

NEW KENSINGTON, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The centennial anniversary of the organization of Puckety United Presbyterian church, near Deronda, Westmoreland county, was celebrated today at the church. The morning session began at 10:30 o'clock with devotional exercises. A history of the church was read by the Rev. M. M. Patterson of Wilkinsburg, and addresses were made by the Rev. L. K. Peacock, the Rev. James Given, the Rev. W. R. Stewart, the Rev. C. H. Marshall and the Rev. J. B. McIsaac.

Puckety church was organized in 1804. Until 1815 the congregation had no building, but held meetings in the open air and sometimes in a barn on a farm near the present postoffice of Deronda. The first church was of logs. There were no pews and each attendant had to provide his own seat. In 1835 the log structure was enlarged, weatherboarded and provided with seats and a ceiling. One service was held in the enlarged church and on the following day it was destroyed by fire. A new church of brick was finished in 1837. This was also burned in 1897. In 1898 the present frame structure was built.

UNKNOWNS' DOUBLE SUICIDE.

Two Strangers Found on River Bank, Near Bellaire, With Empty Acid Vials.

BELLAIRE, O., Oct. 13.—At 5 o'clock this morning the bodies of two men were found in the weeds on the Ohio river bank, just below this city. An examination showed that they had committed suicide. One man was about 45 years old and the other 55. They looked like Germans and had nothing on their persons to identify them.

Two bottles were found which contained carbolic acid, and labels showed that it had been purchased in Wheeling. There was also another bottle which held gin. They were seen near the place Wednesday morning and had evidently been dead for 24 hours.

Three Chickens for Each Preacher

HAMILTON, O., Oct. 13.—The second synod of the United Presbyterian church met here today for a three-days' session with 100 ministers present. The women of the city killed 300 chickens for the ministers. The Rev. John McClure of Xenia, was elected moderator. The synod embraces Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee.

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HILL THE BEAR; DAVIS THE COLT

New Yorker Peevish and Refuses Hotel Room Furnished at Wheeling.

BIG MEETINGS HELD THERE

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WHEELING, W. VA., Oct. 13.—When the Davis-Hill party of Democratic spellbinders arrived in Wheeling this afternoon Senator Hill refused to use the room in a local hotel furnished by the local reception committee. His steel-gray eyes snapped under their bushy eyebrows and his nostrils sniffed in disgust. He was then taken to another hotel. Candidate Davis and ex-Gov. Whyte of Maryland accompanied him as a courtesy. Hill is showing evidences of the strain of his campaigning. He said he hadn't had a good night's sleep for two weeks, and that he longed for a good wide bed. He has grown cross and peevish by the rough riding over West Virginia railroads and has been a subject of concern to the committees in charge all along the line. He expressed his envy of Davis and Whyte, both octogenarians, who are as frisky as young colts. The best meetings of the trip were held tonight in the wigwam here, there being an overflow meeting at the Carroll club.

Attacks Federal Injunctions.

Hill attacked federal court injunctions, advocating trial by jury, and said this would never be secured until there was a Democratic congress. He blamed the labor troubles in Colorado on the Roosevelt administration, and talked of Gen. Sherman Bell as a "tough rider" rather than a "rough rider." He talked a great deal about the "big stick," and imperialism and militarism. He said tariff revision did not mean tariff destruction, and claimed the Dingley bill was a failure and that there was a deficit of $23,000,000 for the first two months of this fiscal year. He urged the election of United States senators by popular vote. Davis' talk was disappointing. The crowd attending was evidently drawn largely by curiosity, as there were only scattered cheers during the speaking. Senators Bailey and Daniel and ex-Gov. Whyte also talked. The speakers addressed both meetings, speaking on the same lines to both audiences.

Mr. Davis is sanguine tonight of the aid of West Virginia corporate interests in his crusade against the Republican state tax law. This law requires from corporations a statement of property, made under oath, with a penalty attached for perjury, all of which is declared very distasteful to the corporations. Mr. Davis was assured today by representatives of the coal, the oil and certain railroad interests that this was the case, and that he might count on their support.

Meetings at Other Places.

Meetings were held today at Farmington, Mannington, Glover's Gap, Burton, Hundred, Littleton, Cameron and Moundsville. At the latter place there was no local chairman in charge and the stop there was a fiasco. Senator Bailey tried to discuss state tax reform there and got badly mixed up. Cheers for Roosevelt embarrassed the talkers.

At Mannington, Senator Bailey said President Roosevelt had spent more on yachts for his own private use and for making repairs at the White House than it had cost to run the whole executive department of the government under President Jackson. He has taken down the venerable signs of the revolutionary age, and the emblems of progress and peace and replaced them with emblems of war and the chase. No longer hangs the picture of the gentle lady on this wall. It has been taken down and sold for old furniture, and in its place the rifle and the bear skin is hanging today. Going into the White House you have to take care or you will stumble over the lion's head, the leopard's hide or the tiger's skin. Mr. Davis left the car here, shook hands with the crowd and distributed campaign buttons to the children.

The party will start down the Ohio river tomorrow morning.

GOOD NEWS FROM COLORADO.

John W. Springer Calls on the President. Takes Roseate View of Latter's Chances.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—One of the callers on President Roosevelt today was John W. Springer of Colorado, who was pressed by the Colorado delegation before the Chicago convention for the nomination for vice president. Mr. Springer, who is president of the National Live Stock association, was recently the Republican candidate for mayor of Denver, but was defeated.

He chatted with the president about the political situation in Colorado. He takes a roseate view of Mr. Roosevelt's chances in the state.

Southerner Praises the President.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Oct. 13.—Oscar J. Spears was nominated here today by the Republicans for congress. He said he thanked God Mr. Roosevelt was a man good enough and great enough to eat lunch with Booker T. Washington, a representative of a race who helped to save the fortunes of the republic at San Juan. His speech made a sensation.

Relief Map Awarded a Prize.

The officers of the chamber of commerce received a telegram from George M. Lehman, who has charge of their exhibit at St. Louis, yesterday, announcing that the jury of ward had given the chamber a medal. It was awarded for the relief map of Pittsburgh and its vicinity.

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TAMMANY OPENS FIRE ON HEARST

Candidates Ordered to Not Allow Their Names on Populist Ticket.

EDITOR MAY REFUSE TO OBEY

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square. NEW YORK, Oct. 13.

Tammany opened fire on William R. Hearst today when Charles F. Murphy, the chief of the organization, served notice on all the Democratic candidates for congress and other local offices that under no circumstances must they allow their names to go on the People's party ticket. "Democrats must be Democrats, and nothing else this year," Mr. Murphy told the leaders, and gave them positive instructions to see that no Democratic name gets on the Watson ballot.

William R. Hearst, who was given the regular Tammany nomination for congress in the Eleventh congressional district, has been indorsed by the People's party. Similar indorsement has been given to Representative William Sulzer, Tammany nominee for congress in the Tenth district, and to Charles A. Towne, Tammany nominee for congress in the Fourteenth district. The order of Mr. Murphy applies to them, but is thought to be principally aimed at Hearst, whose coolness in the campaign has been a cause of general comment, and the nice things one of his papers has been saying about Gov. Odell has accentuated what it has not said in favor of Judge Parker.

"We do not want any local candidate," said Mr. Murphy, "to have the advantage of Judge Parker. We want only Democrats on our local tickets, and we don't want Democratic names on the Populist ticket. It would not do to have our candidates placed on the Populist ticket for the purpose of helping Watson."

It is presumed that Mr. Sulzer and Mr. Towne will abide by the wishes of the organization, but there is some doubt as to the course Mr. Hearst will take. The incident adds an interesting complication to the local campaign, and will give the leaders another tangle to straighten out.

PENNSYLVANIA LABOR MEN FOR ROOSEVELT

Senator Penrose Assures the President Stories About Trouble Over Capitol Work Are Exaggerated.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Senator Penrose talked over the political situation at length with President Roosevelt today. The senator went to the White House early this morning and remained with Mr. Roosevelt for about an hour. Among the subjects they discussed was the controversy over the contracts for work on the new Pennsylvania capitol building, growing out of the contention among some of the labor people of Philadelphia that the contracts are not as fair toward union labor as they might be. Exaggerated reports as to the dissatisfaction among the labor element had reached Washington, but Senator Penrose told the president that these reports had come from Democratic sources, and assured him that the labor people in Pennsylvania and elsewhere, as a rule, would support the Republican ticket. The senator was enthusiastic over the Republican prospects throughout the country, and he congratulated Mr. Roosevelt upon the outlook. He discredited the report that the Republican leaders were not satisfied with the campaign contributions that have come from Pennsylvania. Said he:

"The Republican national committee has not as much money this year as it had in either of the McKinley campaigns, but it has sufficient funds to pay all its expenses. Stories that the committee is hard up come from our opponents."

Senator Penrose left for Philadelphia this afternoon.

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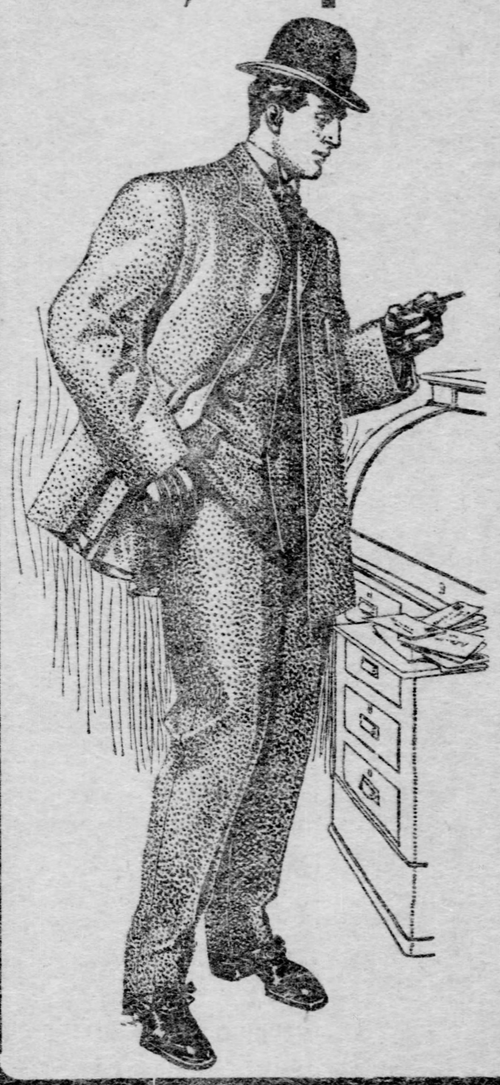

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President of Princeton University Addresses State Sabbath School Convention.

RAISE $21,000 FOR FIELD WORK

Three immense meetings gathered under the auspices of the State Sabbath School association convention were addressed last night by Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton university; the Rev. Dr. William Patterson of Philadelphia and Dr. Joseph Clark.

The largest gathering was in the auditorium of the Sixth United Presbyterian church, where upward of 4,000 people tested the seating and standing capacity of the room, while many were perched on tables in front of the pulpit platform. Another gathering of over 2,000 congregated in the Sunday school room, while an overflow of some 1,200 persons gathered in the Emory Methodist Protestant church, a half square away, where it was also necessary to turn people away. The meetings were addressed simultaneously, the speakers being escorted from one meeting to the other, delivering the same address to each.

Previous to the evening session $21,000 was subscribed for placing field workers in each county in the state during the coming year, of which amount Mr. Wanamaker and Mr. Heinz each subscribed $5,000. With this amount at hand the corps of field workers for the ensuing year will be almost double that of the closing year.

Considers Hazing a Necessity.

Dr. Wilson spoke on "The Young People and the Church." Referring to college life, he pointed to hazing as a necessity, in a way, toward introduction to life's mysteries and declared he had suffered worse from men of the world than he did as a student. He held that knowledge was a poor commodity unless digested by use, and that the same applied to religious instruction. He asserted that the home was the key to all religious sentiment, and unless it had Christian atmosphere the child would lose the inspiration imparted by the Sabbath school. He stated it was not only necessary to get the child in the Sabbath school, but the parents as well; that it was the spirit of earnestness alone that would draw people into the church, and it was the truth that held them. He said it was not a fear of going to hell that drew people into the church, but it was the love for Bible teachings, and strongly advocated the impression of fear in religious teachings be superseded by the spirit of love.

A praise service, in which a chorus of 100 voices, led by Prof. B. F. Butts, opened the large meeting, followed by graduation exercises by the class of 1904 of the Teachers' Training department. Prof. J. S. McCreery of Kerrmoor spoke on "Why I Took the Normal Course;" Miss Helen R. Roberts of Norristown spoke on "How Much Time Required and the Difficulties Met," and A. D. Sallee of Hazelwood spoke on "What and How We Studied." President John Wanamaker then presented 768 diplomas to the graduates in a short address lauding the purpose and work of the normal training department.

Long and Busy Day.

The second day's session of the 40th annual state convention opened at 8 o'clock yesterday morning with a large attendance. After Wednesday's unfinished business was disposed of President Wanamaker asked for a rising welcome to Rabbi J. Leonard Levy of this city, who spoke a word of encouragement for Sunday school work. Treasurer Samuel Shaw reported $16,000 received and expended during the past year. Two-minute reports were heard from county and district officers. Short addresses were made by the Rev. N. N. Hartshorn of Boston, the Rev. W. E. Darby of London and the Rev. Charles Wagner of Paris, France. President Wanamaker concluded the morning session with a discourse on the "Past Year's Inspiration for the Year to Come."

Four simultaneous conferences were conducted during the afternoon. Dr. Wilson presided over a session for pastors; President Wanamaker was in charge of a conference for superintendents; H. J. Heinz conducted a session for teachers, and teachers of elementary grades were shown practical illustrations in tuition in Bethany Lutheran church, a square away, where children's classes were in operation.

The convention comes to a close today with sessions morning, afternoon and evening. Conferences for delegates will be conducted throughout the day, while the evening session will be devoted to an address on "Soul Winners' Equipment," by Dr. Joseph Clark, general secretary of the Ohio State Sabbath School association, and "Parting Words," by President Wanamaker.

THREE HUNDRED FEET OF RAILS ON BOULEVARD

Surface Dug Up as Far as End of Train Shed—Civic Club Has Not Yet Acted.

Work on the traction line construction on Grant boulevard is progressing. When the men quit work yesterday afternoon the space for the south track had been dug as far as the upper end of the Union station train shed. Three hundred feet of rails were already laid, and more are lying at the north side of the street, ready to be put in place. No start has been made toward digging up the surface for the city-bound track.

The Civic league has not yet made a move. The matter of deciding whether to proceed in the courts to prevent the boulevard grab is in the hands of a subcommittee, which has power to act. One of the points on which a suit may be based is the method the company adopted in securing the grant from the state. It did not take out a charter, but filed an extension in the state department to the Grant street railway.

The Grant street railway has never been built, not even started, and it will be maintained that an original charter should have been taken out. The courts have decided that a steam railway may build extensions even before its trunk line has been built, and the question is whether the courts will now hold that traction companies have the rights of steam railroads in that respect.

LIVES AFTER 3,200 VOLTS SHOOT THROUGH HIS BODY

After 3,200 volts of electricity were shot through his body Thomas Mason, employed as an electrician at the plant of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company in East Pittsburgh, arose unassisted to his feet and walked to the office of Dr. Ira Fix, a block away. Mason was struck on the head by a live wire yesterday afternoon, and the only injury he suffered was a severely burned scalp and the loss of most of the hair on top of his head. Employes who witnessed Mason's accident were astounded when he rose to his feet, as 1,500 volts are considered fatal. Mason was accompanied to his home in Swissvale by a fellow workman, although he wanted to go alone.

CALLS FOR REINFORCEMENTS FOR SOUTHWEST AFRICA

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—(Associated Press Cable.)—Although the government has no further news from German Southwest Africa, due to the severance of the cable on both sides of Swakopmund, it evidently regards the situation as increasingly serious, owing to the Witbois outbreak. A circular has been sent to the soldiers of the reserve in Berlin asking for a large number of volunteers for service in Southwest Africa.

METHODISTS HEAR RINGING TALKS

The Rev. Dr. Eaton Thrills Conference With Magnificent Temperance Speech.

FAYETTE CITY CASE SETTLED

LEECHBURG, PA., Oct. 13.—The feature of the Methodist Episcopal conference, today, was an address delivered before the afternoon temperance meeting by the Rev. Dr. E. L. Eaton of the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny.

Taking for his subject the scriptural words, "Where is Abel, Thy Brother," Dr. Eaton described the scene of the first murder and likened the repudiation by men today of their obligation to their fellow men to Cain's reply to God, "Am I my brother's keeper." He stigmatized this as the universal excuse for the maintenance of saloons.

Dr. Eaton's oration was couched in vigorous language. He said that the saloons ought to be placed in the infernal regions, and denounced advocates of the saloon system in strong terms. He was preceded by the Rev. N. H. Holmes of Bellevue, who delivered an able temperance address.

At the opening of the conference this morning the committee of five appointed to investigate the charges made against the Rev. T. M. House of Fayette City, reported as follows:

"Having had before us the evidence in the charges against the Rev. T. M. House, and having carefully examined the same in all its bearings, and also having had before us Brother House and having freely questioned him, we report as follows: 'We congratulate the church on the promptness with which its officers proceeded in the case. And in view of the fact that Brother House has already suffered suspension from all ministerial functions, and as knowledge of distressing and extenuating circumstances have become known to us, which prompt us to most charitable consideration, we recommend that the punishment which Brother House has already suffered be considered an adequate penalty, and that no further action be taken in the case." The report was adopted.

The committee on permanent annuity fund reported an increase of from $8,000 to $11,000. The necessity of raising $95,000 before adjournment of the session in order to accept the offer of Samuel Hamilton to pay the last $5,000 to increase the fund to $100,000 was mentioned.

The deaconess' board reported a successful year, and the following deaconesses were reported appointed and approved by conference: Miss Margaret Boswell, superintendent; Miss Sarah Eyler, Miss L. G. Hiffley, Miss Emma T. Eyler, Miss Jennie Anderson, Miss Mary Hinings, Mrs. W. H. Kincaid, Miss Bessie Brooks. The home was maintained at a cost of $2,685.

The question as to where the next session should be held was decided for Beaver, Pa., by a vote of 84 more than the total vote for all other towns. A resolution was adopted appointing the celebration of the eightieth anniversary of the organization of the conference, to be held at the next session. The Pittsburgh conference was organized in 1825. The Revs. T. N. Eaton, C. W. Miller, J. E. Wright, C. L. Smith and A. E. Huston were appointed a committee on arrangements for the anniversary celebration. Watson M. Bracken, John C. Madison and J. W. Langsdale, condidates, were elected elders. The Rev. J. J. McIlyar was appointed conference evangelist.

It was resolved that the committee on examination present a recommendation of the applicants for admission to the conference in the future. It was decided that the conference go into executive session tomorrow morning for the trial of applicants. The Rev. J. W. McCabe, formerly of the Methodist Protestant church, was recognized as a local preacher. T. Bone of the Evangelical church was made a local elder. The Rev. Mr. Boyle was also recognized as a preacher.

A meeting of the Centenary Fund society of the Pittsburgh conference was held at 1:30 in the afternoon. The following trustees were elected: Harvey Henderson, A. A. Horne, A. C. Knox, Joseph H. Holmes, A. C. McEldowne, Joseph Horne and B. W. Smith. A committee was appointed to prepare a memorial of the late J. G. Holmes, former treasurer of the society. The report of J. G. Holmes was submitted. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon pentecostal services were held, conducted by the Rev. T. J. Leak. The Rev. H. J. Illes delivered a sermon, the Revs. James Law and J. T. Fenderer assisting. The anniversary of the permanent annuity fund was held in the evening at 7:30. Bishop Fowler delivered a 15-minute address on the cause. Five thousand dollars was subscribed by 50 of the preachers and laymen and much more by the audience. Each of the ministers and laymen subscribed $100 each, which is to be paid in cash or notes to be given for that amount, to bear interest at 5 per cent until paid.

The program for today will be opened at 8:30 a. m. with devotional services. The conference session will open at 9 a. m., and at 9:30 a. m. the Laymen's association will meet in the new opera house. At 2 p. m. the Women's Home Missionary society will meet and be addressed by the Rev. H. H. Reese. At 7:30 p. m. the Anniversary Missionary society will meet and be addressed by the Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard. At 7:30 p. m. the anniversary of the veterans of the civil war will be held in the new opera house.

CASSATT MAY INTERVENE.

Brotherhood of Trainmen Will Request Executive to Adjust Grievances of Pennsylvania Lines Employes.

The wage committee and executive officials of the Brotherhood of Trainmen, as a last resort, are in Philadelphia conferring with President A. J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad with a view to having their grievances adjusted. It is admitted by members of the union that another referendum vote has been taken outlining their course, providing the officials refuse to grant their demands. The vote is said to have been counted, and places the matter in the hands of the executive officials.

The executive officials are using caution, as they realize drastic measures will be costly and their result doubtful. The members are firmly convinced they are able to force a settlement of their contentions, but, like the officials, they much prefer them being adjusted in conference. The executive officials promise to bring the dispute to a climax today or tomorrow.

FAVOR GREATER PITTSBURGH.

Street Car Men Adopt Resolutions Indorsing Move to Have Allegheny County in One Municipality.

W. D. Mahon, president of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employes, with headquarters in Detroit, arrived in the city yesterday and addressed a meeting of the local street car men. About 400 were present. He spoke on "Accomplishments and Benefits of Labor Unions."

H. C. Williams, business agent of division 85, gave an interesting talk on "Greater Pittsburgh."

At the close of the meeting a committee drew up resolutions indorsing the plan to consolidate the cities, boroughs and townships in Allegheny county under terms fair and equitable to all sections. This is the first labor organization to indorse the plan to form a Greater Pittsburgh.

ART JURY GRATES WITH BLUE LAWS

Men Who Make Awards at Carnegie Exhibition May Work on Sunday.

ARTISTS FORM A MERRY PARTY

Unless the art jury which is to make the awards in the international exhibition at the Carnegie Institute moves with more celerity, it will be liable to prosecution for violation of the blue laws by the Allegheny County Sabbath association. Edmond Aman-Jean of Paris, who represents the French painters on the jury, said last night that he did not expect to complete the work before noon on Sunday owing to the fact that 160 pictures intended for the exhibition will not arrive until late today. M. Aman-Jean was told that it was considered against the law for art juries to sit on Sunday in this state.

"Mon dieu!" exclaimed the Frenchman with an expressive shrug of his shoulders.

The jurors began their work in the temporary art galleries yesterday morning and labored conscientiously all day. After dinner they gathered in a corner of the lobby of the Hotel Schenley and swapped experiences of their days in the Latin quarter. For a time it was a monotonous evening. They said that they hoped to see something of Pittsburgh and some of them will make sketches of Pittsburgh by furnace light.

A reporter who tried to see John W. Beatty, director of the art galleries, was told last night that he was dining with a party of friends. At the same hour the jurors were receiving their friends with open hospitality in the grill room at the Schenley. The jurors are a merry lot and found no difficulty in finding entertainment for themselves.

"I think that the best that can be said of American art is that there is no danger of it getting down into a rut," ventured Alexander Roche of Edinburgh, Scotland. "Over here the globe-trotting instincts of the people will bestir your artists to express their own individualism on their canvases."

"Good," cried Childe Hassam. "I'm going to have that expression engraved over the door of some American art gallery."

John J. Enneking of Boston pointed out the fact in good-natured reparte that the English academicians had refused the Scotch a separate exhibit at the world's fair.

"Thank you," replied Mr. Roche; "but you can't sit down on the thistle. Scotch art, like the little thistle, will remain intact."

"Our work has been comparatively slow," said Mme. Aman-Jean, interpreting the remarks of her husband. "In Pittsburgh this afternoon much time has been given to viewing each picture, while in Paris salons the judges pass them rapidly by. The pictures are fine and I have been surprised by the universal quality of the works submitted. It is very likely that the jury will not finish its work before noon on Sunday."

M. Aman-Jean was asked if the coming exhibition would be better than that which he last saw in Pittsburgh.

"Perhaps," was his simple answer.

All the members of the jury expect to remain here until Monday. M. Aman-Jean expects to paint portraits of prominent Pittsburghers and will remain for some time.

News of the Nearby Towns and Country

AN OLD GAME WORKED ON BLAIR COUNTY FARMER

Dying Spaniard Leaves Him Green Goods Fortune and Gets a Thousand.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ALTOONA, PA., Oct. 13.—E. N. Burget, an aged, wealthy resident of Curryville, this county, received a communication last June which was written at Valencia, Spain. The writer, calling himself Martin, claimed to have married a relative of Burget's, who died, leaving a daughter, aged 17.

The letter stated that Martin, being a Cuban revolutionist, was arrested when he went to Spain to reclaim his daughter and was sentenced to eight years in prison. His large fortune was concealed in England. He remembered that his wife had a relative named D. N. Burget at Curryville, Pa., and through Father Ponce of the prison he opened correspondence with Burget.

After exchanging several letters Martin died. Father Ponce continued the correspondence and claimed Martin left a will leaving $150,000 to his daughter and one-third that amount to Burget. Ponce wrote for money to pay Martin's court costs, and Burget sent $850 by registered letter. After it was received Burget received a cablegram requesting $150 more, which was also forwarded. Burget's friends saw an account of a similar swindle and apprised him of it. Now the Altoona police and Washington postoffice officials are working on the case.

SCHOOL LACKED DISCIPLINE.

Township Trustees Close Temple of Learning Because of Disorder.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The school at Walker, two miles from this place, has been closed by order of the trustees. The school was taught by Miss Mary McGillivray, a Wellsville high school graduate. It was charged that the school organ had been smashed with a club and that other damage to school property had been done. A shutter was torn from a window by the disorderly pupils and it is alleged that the teacher was caught outside the school room, placed on the shutter, carried inside the building and there dumped upon the floor.

Instead of spending the time with school books the children are said to have amused themselves with cards, jackstraws and other games.

LUTHERANS' NEW OFFICERS.

Synod in Session at Indiana Elects a Board for the Coming Year.

INDIANA, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The most important business of the Lutheran synod here today was the election of the following officers for the coming year:

President, the Rev. W. J. Bucher of Braddock; recording secretary, the Rev. B. W. Zigler of Clarion; statistical secretary, the Rev. C. E. Frontz of Chicora; missionary president, the Rev. S. T. Nicholas, Bellevue; treasurer, William Pore of Pittsburgh, and John H. Bollen of Pittsburgh, assistant treasurer. In the last five years five new churches have been established in the synod. This evening the Rev. Dr. Holmes Dysinger of Vandergrift spoke on "Education." The synod will close tomorrow afternoon.

Big Coal Tract Purchased.

WELLSVILLE, O., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—More than 7,000 acres of valuable coal lands in the vicinity of Hammondsville have been purchased and large additional tracts optioned. George and Christopher Steigmier of Wilkesbarre, Pa., and A. Schumacker, a Wheeling coal operator, are back of the project.

MAN FROM M'KEES ROCKS IS SOUGHT BY HIS WIFE

Frank M. Barber.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna M. Barber of McKees Rocks arrived today in search of her husband, Frank W. Barber, who disappeared from here July 18, after writing to his wife that he was coming home to visit her. He never arrived and has not yet drawn his card from the local painters' union, which gives rise to the belief that he has been killed. Mrs. Barber fears he was the unidentified man found dead on the Lake Erie tracks, near Wampum, the morning of July 19, the morning following the time he left here to visit her at McKees Rocks.

ELECTRIC COMPANIES ARE HELD RESPONSIBLE

Supreme Court Decides They Must Provide Against Accidents to Patrons.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—According to the supreme court, the electric light companies are responsible if customers receive injury by shocks from unprotected wires. The opinions of the supreme court in the cases of Alexander and of Crowe, against the Nanticoke Electric Light Company, were received today.

Crowe was killed in his house by a live wire. Alexander was badly injured. Suits for damages were commenced in behalf of each. The lower court non-suited each. The supreme court reverses the lower court and orders a trial, saying that while an electric light company does not insure against damage, it must take reasonable care that the wires are so installed they can be safely used, and declares the question of damages is for a jury. All the electric light companies in the state are affected by this ruling.

Pittsburgh Has Escaped O'Connor.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—John O'Connor last night threw his wife and nine children from the house and then barricaded himself against officers. He threatened to kill the first who entered. Judge W. D. Wallace ordered Constable Stewart to take sufficient force to capture O'Connor, but the man escaped while a posse was being organized. He wanted to move to Pittsburgh and is said to have become indignant because his wife, in whose name the property was, refused to sell it.

DENGENFEL IS GOING BACK HOME DISGUSTED

Makes a Warm Speech at Reformed Church Synod and Gets a Warm Answer.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

IRWIN, PA., Oct. 13.—Count Alois Dengenfel left for New York this morning en route home to Hungary. Before leaving he addressed the board of Home Missions of the Reformed church of the United States. He said that the board should not have presented obstacles to the fulfillment of his mission.

In answer he was told that he had caused all the trouble and what he asked of the church in behalf of his people in this country was un-American. Count Dengenfel said he did not wish to be misunderstood. He stated that he was a layman in the state church and represented what, in this country, is called the conference. He came to America last March and succeeded in taking back to the home church members of the Hungarian missions in New York city, Passaic, N. J.; Phoenixville, Pa., and Cleveland, O. He could do nothing with the 15 other missions and left for home.

He returned two weeks ago to attend the Irwin meeting of the board and to make an appeal for jurisdiction of the state church over the missions and for the establishment of parochial schools, because nearly all the Hungarians in this country have not been naturalized. Count Dengenfel would not say what the next move of the state church would be. He said he was now going home to make his report.

VICTOR BREAKS DOWN.

Girl Who Won Breach of Promise Suit from Preacher Suffers Collapse.

ALLENTOWN, PA., Oct. 13.—Miss Blanche Keck, the Allentown young woman who got a verdict of $3,000 07 against the Rev. E. J. Heilman for breach of promise, is utterly broken down from the nervous strain of the past few days.

It was reported today that the Rev. Mr. Heilman is unable to pay the $3,000 the Montgomery county jury mulcted him for. In that case it is possible to commit him to jail. When this situation was made known to Miss Keck's family they said they would let the law take its course.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

ROSCOE, PA.—Mrs. Cliner, aged 70, of Stockdale, was struck by a fast moving freight train early this morning and instantly killed.

GREENSBURG—Prof. Orton W. Lowe, formerly of the faculty of the Greensburg High school, has been elected to a vacancy in the Homestead schools to succeed Prof. George Bonner.

IRWIN—Henry Slaughter, near Adamsburg, yesterday afternoon fell off a ladder while picking fruit, and his back was broken. He died last night. He leaves a widow and several children.

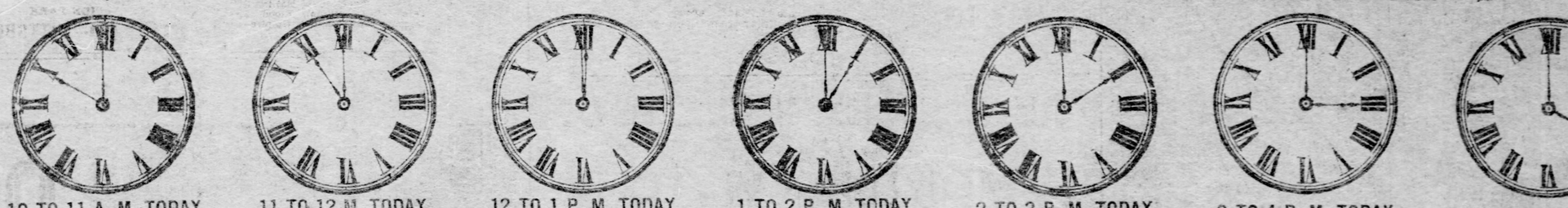
CUMBERLAND, MD.—Marriage licenses were issued today to John Schwartz of Allegheny, and Rosa Therese St. Blocher of Pittsburgh; Carl McCoy and Nora Rousch, both of Canonsburg.

FAIRMONT, W. VA.—Jerome Medefield, chief of police at Rivesville, has disappeared. Merefield was held up in a dark street at Rivesville recently by four masked men, and at the point of a revolver was chased out of town and told never to return.

Operator's Body Found in River.

VINCENNES, IND., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—A floater found in the Wabash river here this evening proved to be the body of Elmer Shaw, a telegraph operator employed by the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Shaw has been missing since Sunday. He leaves a widow and child in Lawrenceville, Ill.

KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE" Hour Sale KAUFMANN'S "THE BIG STORE"



10 TO 11 A. M. TODAY

Shoes—boys' and youths' regular $1.35 shoes, heavy double sole, suitable for school wear, at only, pair, 90c.

Pillow tops—24-in. square velour pillow tops, in pretty floral patterns, worth 75c, at 48c. 16-in. hand-painted placques, worth 75c, at 48c. Embroidered medallion and Val. lace trimmed waist fronts, 48c.

Butter—finest Elgin creamery butter, pound print, 23c. "Snowdrift" brand lard compound, 3-pound pail, at 23c.

Rugs—lot of room-size rugs, average size 9x10½ ft., including all-wool reversible Smyrnas and Brussels, some in the lot worth $16, all go at 9.95.

Boys' suits—boys' all-wool cheviot Norfolk, Buster Brown and double-breasted suits, in plain blues and blacks, or fancy mixtures, sizes 3 to 16 — worth $2.50, for only 1.63.

Curtain materials—fine printed mulls, silkalines, art denims and fish nets, in choice patterns, for sash curtains and draperies, 12½c and 15c kinds, at, yd., 9½c.

Boys' caps—boys' and children's Fall caps, in Norfolk, eton, golf and Rob Roy styles, nicely lined; also all-wool toques for winter wear, 39c caps, for 17c.

Sheets—double bed size sheets, bleached and unbleached, hemmed all ready for use, at only, each, 33c.

Clothes wringers—the celebrated "Pittsburgh" clothes wringers, with best rubber roll, 1.69. Revolving waffle irons, 39c. Scouring soap, 10 large cakes, 25c. (Basement)

Silk—36-in. wide black taffeta silk, non-splitting, beautiful quality for skirts or shirtwaist suits, $1.25 grade, for only, yd., 85c.

Umbrellas—men's and women's fine gloria umbrellas, with steel rod and paragon frame, large variety of plain and fancy handles; worth $1, for only 69c.

Underskirts—women's long or short flannelette underskirts, made with yoke band, in light or dark colors, this hour 25c.

Skirts—women's new fall walking skirts, made of fine melton, black, blue or brown mixtures and suitings; some with foot kilts, others with pleats, others self-button trimmed, strictly man-tailored; worth $3 and $3.50, for only 1.44.

11 TO 12 M. TODAY

Bedspreads—crochet bed spreads, hemmed, all ready for use, during this hour only 45c.

Candies—delicious walnut pillows, made of new English walnut meats, covered with vanilla cream; regular price 35c, this hour, pound, 20c. (Candy dept., 1st floor.)

Glassware—crystal glass table tumblers, salt and pepper shakers; also white porcelain fruit saucers; worth up to 40c dozen, go at, each, 2c.

Crush belts—made of crushed velvet with pretty gilt key-stone buckle, all colors, 25c value, 18c. Mousseline and taffeta silk ribbons, 25c and 35c kind, yd., 18c. Dainty directoire neck ruching, 1½ in. wide, with Val. lace edge, worth 25c, at, yd., 18c.

Preserves—Keiller's imported strawberry preserves, 25c jar at, dozen 1.70, jar 15c. G. B. R. brand preserves, whole fruit and sugar only, 25c jars at, dozen 1.10, jar 10c.

Rugs—9x12-ft. size granite brusselette rugs, in pretty Oriental scroll patterns, for only 3.75 — the 7½x9-ft. rugs for 2.50.

Shoes—children's kid lace shoes, spring heels, regular price $1, reduced to, pair, 65c.

Overcoats—boys' elegant Buster Brown or long regular overcoats; also stylish all-wool suits, in sailor, Russian, double-breasted and Norfolk style, sizes 2½ to 16; worth $4, for only 2.35.

Wash boilers—made of copper, tinned inside, for 1.49. Hardwood clothes horses, 4 ft. high, with 3 wings, at 35c. Flour cans, made of heavy tin, nicely japanned and lettered, 69c.

Sweaters—lot of children's sweaters, any color, 50c value, at 19c. Boys' good quality drill football pants, 75c value, 25c. Pyrography outfits, guaranteed point, box complete, worth $1.50, for 85c.

Nightshirts—men's heavy domet flannel nightshirts, absolutely fast colors, cut extra wide and long, sizes 15 to 19, regular price 69c, this hour only 39c.

Waists—made of finest all-wool French flannel, plain flannel or French woven materials; newest style pleated or tucked front and back, new stock collar; full sleeve; come in blues, reds, browns, blacks and light shades —regular $2 and $2.50 waists, for 99c.

12 TO 1 P. M. TODAY

Shoes—men's regular $2.50 vici kid lace shoes, Goodyear welt sewed, double sole, this hour, pair, 1.80.

Carpets—short rolls of best wool ingrain carpets, some rolls in the lot large enough to cover two or three rooms, the 60c grade, to be closed out at only, yd., 35c.

Velvet—22-in. wide corduroy velvet, in black, tan, royal, navy, myrtle and hunters' green; regular 75c quality, this hour, yd., 52½c.

Youths' suits—young men's fine dress suits, in mixtures and plain colors, sizes 18 to 20; regular $10 suits to go for only 4.35.

Neckwear—lot of 25c neckwear, including embroidered linen Buster Brown collars, point gaze collars, Venise lace stocks, embroidered top collars and black mercerized lace stock collars, choice for 15c.

Drapery materials—beautiful figured wash velour, corduroy, furniture plush and heavy gobelin tapestries, in rich shades of red, green and tan, for portier or furniture coverings; regular prices 75c, $1 and $1.25, this hour, yd., 50c.

Cuspidors—underglazed and mottled cuspidors, 35c values, to go during this hour at only, each, 19c.

Razors—lot of sample razors, made of tempered steel, 25c. Rogers' solid nickel teaspoons, set of 6, for 25c. Rogers' solid nickel tablespoons, set of 6 for 49c.

Pictures—fac-similes of water colors, fitted in Roman gold frame, gold mats, a variety of subjects; also a lot of fine den pictures; values up to $1, to go at, each, 29c.

Flannels—Eclipse flannel, printed kimono flannel and fancy waisting flannel, for this hour only, yd., 10c.

Men's shirts—a lot of men's soft bosom madras shirts, sizes 14 to 17, odds and ends and broken lots of regular $1.00 lines, this hour for only 29c.

Babies' cloaks—babies' long or short bedford cloaks, cape lace or ribbon trimmed, during this hour only 35c.

Skirts—women's stylish perfect hanging skirts, made of Panamas, mixtures, mohairs and suitings, in all shades, including black, blue and brown, kilted, pleated and gored styles, all with wide flare effect, $4, $5 and $6 skirts, at only 2.85.

1 TO 2 P. M. TODAY

Neck ruffs—large black liberty silk neck ruffs; worth $1.25, at 75c. Beautiful hemstitched and Mexican hand-drawn collar and cuff sets, $1 values, 75c.

Linens—hemstitched lunch cloths, damask table cloths and mercerized table cloths, all at, each, 98c.

Dress goods—lot of this season's styles of all-wool dress goods, plain and fancy patterns, all colors, intended to sell at 69c, during this hour for, yd., 35c.

Sherbet sets—brilliant crystal glass sherbet sets, large footed bowl, 6 glass cups and 6 silvered hooks, neat pressed designs; regular price $2.25, at, set, 1.25.

Youths' pants—youths' regular $1.25 dark striped cheviot long pants, sizes 27x27 to 32x32, this hour for only 65c.

Rugs—lot of mill-made rugs, without seamed corners, 9x12 ft. size, including brussels, velvet and wool Smyrnas, $25 values, for only 16.75.

Shoes—misses' welt sewed kid lace shoes spring heels; regular price 1.60, reduced to, pair, 1.00.

Dress shields—Kleinert's washable dress shields, sizes 2, 3 and 4; worth 15c, at, pair, 10c. Large fluffy maline neck bows, all colors; worth 25c, at, each, 10c. Fast edged nainsook and cambric embroidery flounces, up to 6 in. wide, yd., 10c.

Tomatoes—"Belle" brand, fancy Maryland packed, 3-pound cans, dozen 80c, can 7c. "Homestead" brand marrowfat peas, natural flavor, dozen 70c, can 6c.

Camera supplies—lot of photo albums at, each, 25c, 30c, 12c, 10c and 8c. Argo developer, 6 tubes in box, 18c. M. Q. tubes, each, 4c. Hypo, pound, 2c.

Underwear—men's heavy cotton ribbed shirts and drawers, with soft fleecing, a new fresh lot, including all sizes, in ecru and blue, regularly sell for 68c, now only, each, 39c.

Underwear—women's light or medium weight high neck or long sleeve ribbed vests or pants, all sizes, to go at only 12½c.

Coats—lot of women's new tourist coats, and short or three-quarter length jackets, lined or unlined, made of plain or mixed materials and coverts, all sizes; regular prices $10 and $15, this hour 5.00.

2 TO 3 P. M. TODAY

Women's suits—women's new Fall suits, made of fine cheviots, in black, blue and brown; also excellent broadcloths and novelty suitings, in jacket style, Norfolk and tourist effects, pleated or kilted skirts, trimmed with fine braids and buttons—$10 and $12 suits for 6.95.

Candies—our regular 25c assorted chocolates, which is similar to the kind priced 40c elsewhere, this hour at, pound, 20c. (Candy dept., 1st floor.)

Coffee—extra quality, sold elsewhere at 25c, now 5 pounds 60c, pound 13c. "Sunshine" brand condensed milk, doz. 90c, can 8c. "Best" brand cream, large size, dozen 90c, can 8c; small size, dozen 45c, can 4c.

Veiling—regular 25c crepe finish chiffon veiling, white only, yd., 15c. "Diana" sateen pad bolt supporters, with four straps, made of frilled elastic; all colors; worth 25c, at, pair, 15c.

Suiting—54-in. wide Scotch mannish tweed suiting, new and desirable styles, all color combinations, grade you usually pay $1 for, this hour 58c.

Boys' suits—boys' stylish Norfolk, Buster Brown, double-breasted and sailor suits; also extra long overcoats, with belted back, sizes 3 to 16; worth $5, at only 3.33.

Shoes—women's serge house shoes, congress and lace style; regular price $1, this hour, pair, 50c.

Lace curtains—"seconds" of heavy Scotch, Nottingham and fine Egyptian lace curtains, 50 and 60 in. wide and 3½ yds. long, beautiful real lace designs, up to 3 pairs of a pattern; worth $2, $3 and $4, go at, pair, 1.35.

Neckwear—broken lines of our men's 50c four-in-hand ties, including about 20 dozen plain black ties, choice this hour, each, 15c.

Flannel—white embroidered flannel, hemmed and hemstitched, printed French flannel; also imported Scotch flannel, for only, yd., 49c.

Crumb trays—with brushes made of papier mache, 10c. Double roast pans, for large roasts, 55c. Bath room heating stoves, 29c.

Back combs—fancy mounted back combs; worth 35c to 75c, in jewelry dept., this hour at 15c.

3 TO 4 P. M. TODAY

Handbags—lot of women's strong leather handbags, plain colors; regular price 50c, during this hour only 17c.

Silks—19-in. wide black peau de soie, all-silk, rich heavy quality, regular 75c grade, during this hour, yd., 48c.

Meats—best quality California ham, pound 10c. Spare ribs, pound, 9c. "Continental" brand oil sardines, dozen 45c, can 4c. Imported oil sardines, with key, dozen 1.00, can 9c.

Rugs—25 misfit brussels rugs, average size 10½ by 12½ ft., suitable for dining, sitting or bedrooms; some worth up to $26, this hour 15.25.

Boys' suits—boys' finest suits and overcoats, including all the newest effects, in every style of garment; sizes 2½ to 16; regular $6.50 and $7.50 suits for 4.25.

Albatross—choice of any shade of all-wool French albatross for street wear or evening wear; 50c quality at, yd., 33c.

Portiers—French tapestry portiers, fringed or corded; also Oriental and Ottoman weave portiers, in solid, two-tone and combination colors; regular $4 and $5 values at, pair, 2.85.

Bed blankets—all-wool bed blankets, black and white or red and black plaids; worth $4, this hour only, pair, 2.49.

Shoes—children's kid and calf shoes, suitable for school wear; regular price $1, reduced to, pair, 70c.

Books—handy volume edition of Shakespeare's works, fine cloth binding; regular price $8, the 13 volumes complete in neat cloth case—this hour 1.98.

Notions—good strong aluminum thimbles, 1c. Ironing wax, cake 1c. King's thread, 200-yd. spool 1c. Paper of 300 pins, 1c. H. B. darning cotton, spool 1c. Excellent stay binding, 4-yd. bolt 1c.

Waists—lot of women's taffeta silk waists, black, white and colored, including the latest Fall shades, pretty tucked front, new full sleeve and stock collar, lined or unlined, $5 and $6 waists for only 2.95.

Underwear—women's well-made muslin drawers, also trimmed corset covers, perfect fitting, during this hour only 9c.

4 TO 5 P. M. TODAY

Underwear—women's black wool ribbed vests or pants; also union suits, all sizes; regular prices $1 and $1.50, at only 50c.

Stockings—children's heavy ribbed cotton stockings, with extra spliced heels and toes, for school wear, 15c kind, at 8c.

Ribbons—No. 5, 7 and 9 all-silk ribbons, in all colorings; worth 7c and 10c, at, yd., 5c. White madras Buster Brown collars, with neat colored feather stitching, 5c.

White goods—white Manchester lawn and heavy crash toweling; also apron ginghams, for only, yd., 5c.

Mattings—50 rolls of heavy China straw mattings, large assortment of designs and colors to choose from, this hour only, yd., 10c.

Sofa pillows—ruffled sofa pillows, down filled and covered with silk, satin or tapestry; should sell at $3 and $4.50, this hour for, each, 1.98. (Drapery dept.)

Ornaments—imported vases, bisque figures and mantel ornaments; regular prices up to $1.25, choice for, each, 59c.

Shoes—women's sample shoes, made of vici kid, sizes 2½ to 4½; regular $3 shoes, at only 1.37.

Cake—fine home-made raisin, citron and marble cake, 2 pounds 25c. Home-made cookies, 12c dozen. Uneeda biscuit or Zuzu snaps, 2 packages 10c. (Not more than 6 packages to a customer.)

Suiting—54-in. wide fine quality wool ladies' cloth, latest Fall shades and black—75c quality, at only, yd., 45c.

Pictures—of renowned poets, 6 complete in roman gold frame, with fancy corners, also lot of yard pictures, richly colored fruit and flower subjects, values up to $1.50, choice 59c.

Nose guards—football nose guards; worth 75c, at 48c. Good canvas shin guards, worth 50c, at 19c. Good quality Rugby footballs, worth 75c, at 58c. Regular $1.50 foothall jerseys, 50c.

Girls' coats—girls' regular $4.50 coats, made of medium and heavy weight strictly all-wool materials, box coats plain, also with large cape collars; sizes 2 to 12 years, positively $4.50 coats, for only 1.90.

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PIRATES AND BLUES NOW TIED FOR POST-SEASON HONORS

LYNCH'S START PROVED FATAL

Cleveland Scored Two Runs in First, and Pirates Could Not Overcome the Lead.

THE NINTH WAS EXCITING

Had little Gilbert, who was substituted at bat for Mike Lynch in the ninth inning of yesterday's game, been equal to the emergency there might have been another long contest, but he was not, and when he struck out there was a groan from the crowd of 3,465 spectators and the game wound up, 3 to 2 in the visitors' favor. By winning the game the Cleveland and Pittsburgh clubs are now a tie for the post-season honors, each team having won a game and the remaining contests promise to be full of action.

Mike Lynch, who was on the rubber for the Pirates, got a bad start yesterday and, though himself and comrades worked like Trojans to overcome the lead obtained in the opening inning, they failed to do so and this failure was due largely to the great exhibition of pitching put up by "Dusty" Rhoades, who was at one time on the St. Louis Cardinals' pitching staff under Patsy Donovan. Lynch started off by giving the first batsman a base on balls, which was his only offense of that kind during the game, and there followed three hits and a sacrifice, which netted the opposition two runs, which proved a serious handicap.

After the first inning Lynch settled down to steady work and his pitching display was good. He was steady at all times and his effectiveness was shown by the fact that he struck out seven batsmen, among them the hard-hitting Elmer Flick, who was a two-time victim. The playing back of Lynch was in keeping with the pitching, so far as the fielding was concerned, but it was at bat where the locals showed a fatal weakness, being unable to bunch hits so as to secure the runs necessary to bring home a victory.

A glance at the score will show that Mr. Rhoades was also doing a fine line of pitching and any twirler who can strike Hans Wagner out twice in one game certainly has something to boot batters with. This was the trick that "Dusty" turned yesterday and to make things more emphatic he turned the same kind of a trick on others of the Pirates, and his strike-out record for the afternoon showed a total of eight. He accomplished the rare feat of striking out the side in the ninth inning. Among his victims were McCormick, Wagner, Bransfield, Leach, Phelps and Lynch.

The ninth inning was an exciting one and the spectators having in mind the finish of the day before held their seats until the last man was out. When the final inning was reached the score was 3 to 1 in the visitors' favor, and as the first two batsmen were easy strike-outs things looked bad, but Ritchey stirred up the enthusiasm when he placed a single in middle field. Phelps followed with a drive to right center, which counted for two bases, on which Ritchey scored. Manager Clarke then called on Gilbert to bat for Lynch, but the best he could do was to strike out and that ended the game.

The visitors started out with two runs in the first inning, which was opened with a base on balls to Vinson. The hit and run was successfully worked, Bradley placing a single in left field. The runners were advanced by a clever sacrifice by Flick and Vinson scored on an infield single by Lajoie, but Bradley was caught at the plate. Lajoie moved to second on the play of Bradley and scored when Stovall singled to left. Their other run was scored in the sixth and would have been cut off had Wagner made a good throw to the plate. Vinson scored the run when he led off with a single and went to third on a two-bagger to left by Bradley. After Flick had struck out Lajoie sent a bouncer to Wagner and Vinson started for home. Hans made the play at the plate, but his throw was wild and the run counted.

The Pirates' first run was scored by Bransfield in the seventh inning when he led off with a single and got around on a two-bagger to right by Leach and a single by Phelps. The Pirates had a good chance for more runs in this inning, but Lynch and Clarke could not solve the curves served up by Rhoades. The fielding on the part of both teams was very fast. Among the spectators was Patsy Donovan, the Pirates' ex-manager, who is manager of the Washington team of the American league during the past season. Donovan is in the city visiting friends. The score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.	Cleve'nd.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Clarke l.	0	0	3	0	0	Vinson l.	2	2	3	0	0
Wmont m.	0	1	1	0	0	Bradley s.	0	3	1	1	0
M'C'm'k r.	0	0	0	0	0	Flick r.	0	0	1	0	0
Wagner s.	0	0	2	6	1	Lajoie 2.	1	1	1	6	0
B'nsfield 1.	1	2	11	2	0	Stoval 1.	0	1	1	0	0
Leach 3.	0	1	1	3	0	Bemis 1.	0	0	10	0	0
Ritchey 2.	1	1	0	1	0	Turner s.	0	0	0	2	0
Phelps c.	0	2	8	0	0	Lush m.	0	1	1	0	0
Lynch p.	0	1	1	1	0	Beulow c.	0	0	8	0	0
*Gilbert.	0	0	0	0	0	Rhoades p.	0	1	1	2	0
Totals	2	8	27	13	1	Totals	3	9	27	11	0

*Batted for Lynch in ninth.

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1—2
Cleveland	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—3

Two-base hits—Leach, Phelps, Bradley. Sacrifice hit—Flick. Stolen bases—McCormick, Lajoie. Double play—Wagner and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Lynch 1 (Vinson). Hit by pitched ball—McCormick. Struck out—By Lynch 7 (Flick 2, Turner, Beulow 2, Rhoades 2), by Rhoades 8 (McCormick, Wagner 2, Bransfield, Leach, Phelps, Lynch, Gilbert). Time—1:40. Umpire—Klem.

AMERICANS IN LEAD.

Browns Took Another Game from the St. Louis Cardinals.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—The American league team won the fourth of the inter-league series of seven games for the championship of St. Louis, making the standing, American 3, National 1. Although slightly outhit, the American team played a faster game and won, 3 to 2. The Americans scored only in one inning. Dunleavy's error, a single by Burkett and a triple by Heidrick tied the score and a single by Wallace scored Heidrick with the winning run. Attendance, 2,500. Score:

Nationals.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	American.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Farrell 2.	1	1	1	1	1	Burkett l.	1	1	1	0	0
Shannon l.	1	1	4	0	0	Heidrick m.	1	2	0	0	0
Beckley 1.	0	1	16	0	0	Wallace s.	0	1	2	4	0
Ryan s.	0	2	2	8	0	Hynes r.	0	2	3	0	0
Smoot m.	0	1	2	0	0	Jones l.	0	0	10	0	0
Dunleavy r.	0	0	1	0	1	Padden 2.	0	0	6	2	0
Burke 3.	0	1	0	3	0	Moran 3.	0	0	1	2	0
Grady c.	0	1	4	0	0	Kahoe c.	1	0	4	1	1
McFar'd p.	0	0	0	1	0	Glade p.	0	0	0	2	0
*Hill.	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	2	8	27	11	2	Totals	3	7	27	11	1

*Batted for McFarland in ninth.

Americans	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—3
Nationals	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2

Two-base hits—Beckley, Grady, Hynes. Three-base hit—Heidrick. Double play—Farrell and Beckley. Stolen bases—Brain, Heidrick. Bases on balls—Off Glade 2. Struck out—By Glade 4, by McFarland 2. Left on bases—Americans 5, Nationals 8. Time—1:45. Umpires—Zearfoss and Sudhoff.

Attell Loses to Sullivan.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—Tommy Sullivan won from Attell in the fifth round tonight.

AMATEUR FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Browns will play the St. Johns Lyceum Saturday.

Herron Hill will practice tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Herron Hill park.

All Pastime Reserves are to report for practice this evening at Central park.

The Lafayettes and Tremont Tigers will play Saturday on the Lafayette grounds.

At Brushton Saturday the Brushton Mohawks will play the Richland team of Wilkinsburg.

The Goshring team signed Gannon, fullback, and T. Lee, quarterback, of last year's All-Stars team.

O. G. Bennett writes that he has cancelled all games booked by him for the Westinghouse, A. C.

The Monterey A. A. (75 pounds) will meet the Walton A. C. Saturday on the Denny grounds at 2:30 o'clock.

The Gruver A. C. of Carnegie, champions of the Chartiers valley, wants games. Address N. Jay Kuntz, Carnegie.

The Twin City A. C. team is without a game for Saturday. Address Bert McWhorter, 1445 Western avenue, Allegheny.

The Arthur A. C. is out for the 75 to 80-pound championship. Address William Denslow, 8615 California avenue, Allegheny.

The Pequot, 75-pound team, will play the Colonial A. C. of the East End on the Pequot grounds Saturday. The game will start at 2:30 o'clock.

The Suburban A. C. would like to hear from the Clippers regarding the game for next Sunday. Call 761 Main, or 3826 Court and ask for Kirstun.

All Emerald A. C. players are to report at South Thirty-first and Carson streets tonight at 7:30 sharp. Griffen, Taylor, Edwards and Miller brothers take notice.

Westlake would like to hear from some strong team for Saturday, Clipper A. C. preferred. Call 201-J Walnut, between 7 and 8 o'clock this evening, and ask for Lutz.

HUSKY PLAYERS FROM YOUNGSTOWN

The Rayen High School Team Which Meets the Shadyside Eleven Tomorrow.

SHEVLIN GOES TO SCRUBS BY ORDER OF COACHES

Yale Fullback, However, Redeems Himself Against Varsity—W. & J. Ready for State.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—"Tom" Shevlin, fullback of the Yale eleven, and for the third year a member of the varsity team, was today relegated to the scrubs as fullback. The coaches believe Shevlin has not been playing his best and have tried to shake him up by this discipline. He made matters hum later, scoring a touchdown against the varsity by a 35-yard run after breaking through. Morse scored a second touchdown for the scrubs. The varsity eleven, with Hogan and Kinney not playing, scored but once today.

After so close a rub as yesterday's game Yale coaches fear that West Point and Columbia will defeat Yale unless by such heroic disciplinary measures as shifting Shevlin they shake the team together. Shevlin's defensive work for the scrubs made good practice for the varsity in offense.

Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, MD., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Notwithstanding the midshipmen play Princeton on Saturday next, they were unable to have any lineup against the scrubs this afternoon, though stiff practice work, especially on defense, is badly needed on account of a drill from which no one but the first team men were excused. The team men, however, ran through signals and had a drill in some defensive formation. It is hoped that Princeton will be somewhat weakened from its hard game with Lafayette yesterday.

W. & J.

WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The W. & J. team is rounding into shape again after the Princeton game. All the training is now being directed to get the team in shape for the State game at Pittsburgh on October 22. The coaches feel certain that with the excellent showing made by the team in the Princeton game and with additional training the team will beat State Saturday week.

Cornell.

ITHACA, N. Y., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The Cornell 'varsity played a snappy game today with Coach Kent's freshmen eleven, and scored three touchdowns upon them in a 20-minute half. Cook and Rice were the only absentees among the varsity men, Wilder, Sheldon and Birmingham being in their togs, the latter after an absence of five days. Coach Wagner gave much attention to Birmingham's kicking, instructing him in both punting and drop-kicking.

Penn Park Rushes Giants.

YORK, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—McGraw's National league team ran up against a snag here today when it tackled the pennant winners of the Tri-State league. It took 10 innings to decide the game, and it was a costly error by Broderick that gave the Giants the game. The score:

Penn Park	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—3	7	2
New York	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1—4	6	1

Batteries—McGlynn and Smith; Ames and Marshall.

Amateur Pool Tourney.

Commencing Monday evening in Allegheny, an amateur billiard tournament will be held. The following are entered: O. Beilstein, H. Albright, G. Geis, Henry and Edward Geisehart, Elmer Vey, Charles Fisher, George Kroenert, H. Klinger and Edward Schaefer. O. Beilstein and H. Albright or Charles Fisher and G. Kroenert will probably open the tournament.

Champion Hickory Team Banqueted.

The Hickey A. C., winner of the 18-year-old baseball championship, was banqueted Wednesday night by Manager Walter Radcliff at his home, Pacific avenue. Dave Johns, second baseman, was unanimously elected captain of the team for next year.

McCourt Leads Stocker.

In the pool match between McCourt and Stocker for the championship of Pittsburgh at the Great Northern rooms, the score last night was: McCourt, 400; Stocker, 182. The total now is: McCourt, 368; Stocker, 282. The contest will be finished tonight.

Brown and Lynch Will Meet.

Harry Brown, the amateur 105-pound champion, is matched to box Young Lynch at East Pittsburgh October 24 as a preliminary to the Kennedy and Matthews 10-round contest.

DOWN TO SEMI-FINALS.

There Were Surprises in Women's Golf Championship—Miss Curtis is Beaten.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 13.—The women's national golf championship tournament on the links of the Marion Cricket club at Haverford has reached the semi-final round with Miss Pauline Mackey of the Oakley County club, Mrs. E. S. Sanford, Orange, N. J.; Miss K. C. Harley, Fall River, and Miss Georgianna Bishop, Brooklawn, as the contestants. Tomorrow Miss Mackay will play Mrs. Sanford, while Miss Harley will meet Miss Bishop.

While the semi-finalists were entitled to their victories, the results were in the main surprising. Miss Louise Vandegroft of Ardsley, who had tied for the prize, and who had disposed of Miss Maud K. Whetmore and Miss J. A. Carpenter in turn, succumbed to Mrs. Sanford. Miss Margaret Curtis, who had been looked from as the probable title holder this year, went down to defeat before Miss Harley. In each of these matches brilliancy opposed steadiness and the latter won. Miss Florence Ayres of Riverton was eliminated from the tournament by Miss Mackay, and Miss Frances C. Griscom, the former champion, yielded to Miss Bishop's superiority, thus taking from Philadelphia all chances of winning the championship.

Sterlings to Have Meeting.

The Sterling basketball team will hold its final meeting this evening at John Yoedt's residence, 128 High street, Allegheny, to arrange for the coming meeting season. The last year's champions expect to have a stronger team.

Keefe Has Open Date.

Manager Keefe of the All-Professionals would like to arrange a game for Saturday with any out-of-town club.

Coach Excursion to St. Louis Every Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

$12.00 round trip. Tickets good seven days—in coaches only. Fifteen-day tickets on sale every day—$15.00—good in Pullman cars upon payment of Pullman rates.

GRACE BOND WINS KENTUCKY STAKE

Twice Lowers Record for Event in Same Race—Beat Sadie Mac's Mark.

FAVORITES LOSE BY BREAKS

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

LEXINGTON, KY., Oct. 13.—Lady May and Patchen Maid, heavily played favorites for the 2:17 pace, and the 2:12 trot, respectively, today lost their opportunities by breaking at critical periods.

Grace Bond easily captured the Kentucky stake for 3-year-old trotters. Grace Bond broke the stake record in the first heat by trotting the mile in 2:10½ and again broke it in trotting the second and final heat in 2:10¼. The stake record of 2:11½ was made by Sadie Mac last year. Second money went to Lord Revelstoke, third to Alice Edgar and fourth to Totara. The track was in fine condition. Summaries:

The Kentucky stake, for 3-year-olds, trotting, value $2,000, two in three.

Grace Bond, b. f., by The Bondsman (Andrews)	1	1
Lord Revelstoke, b. c. (McClary)	2	3
Alice Edgar, b. f. (Dodge)	4	2
Totara, b. f. (Titer)	3	4
Jessie Benyon, ro. f. (Benyon)	5	6
Princess Athel, b. f. (DeRyder)	7	5
Madge Wildfire, b. f. (L. Moody)	6	7

Time—2:10½, 2:10¼.

2:17 class, pacing, purse $1,000, three in five.

Funston, ro. g., by Dictator (Snow)	5	1	1 1
Billy F., b. g. (Bedford)	3	3	dis.
Montauk, b. g. (Clark)	2	2	3 3
Lady May, b. m. (Hussey)	6	6	2 2
Edgar Boy, b. h. (Fuller)	1	5	dis.
Billy F., b. g. (Bedford)	3	5	dis.
Bert Patch, ch. g. (Doulton)	4	4	dis.
Donnybrook, ch. h. (Graves)	7	dis.	
Glad Belle, b. h. (Gears)	dis.		

Time—2:09¼, 2:08¼, 2:09¼, 2:08¼.

2:12 class, trotting, purse $1,200, two in three.

Kirkwood, Jr., br. h., by Silverthorne (Dillon)	6	4	1 1
Aerolite, b. m. (Saunders)	5	1	2 2
Patchen Maid, blk. m. (Starr)	1	2	4 3
Euxenite, gr. m. (Thomas)	2	6	5 r.o.
The Questor, b. g. (Geers)	3	3	3 r.o.
Axdelight, ch. m. (Niles)	4	7	7 r.o.
Calcine, b. m. (McMahon)	10	5	10 r.o.
VanZandt, b. m. (Devereaux)	7	10	6 r.o.
Madem, b. m. (Bunyon)	9	8	8 r.o.
Invador, b. g. (Demarest)	9	8	9 r.o.

Time—2:09½, 2:09½, 2:10, 2:10¼.

2:22 class, trotting, purse $1,000, three in five.

Mainland, b. h., by Axtell (Hudson)	4	1	1	1
Miss Jeannette, blk. m. (Ecker)	1	3	4	2
Ozone, b. g. (Foote)	3	4	3	4
Emily Letcher, br. m. (Rea)	2	2	2	3
Harry Simmons, b. h. (Mutler)	7	6	7	5
Poindexeter, b. g. (Niles)	10	7	6	6
Getaway, ch. g. (Stetson)	6	5	5	ds.
Sunny Jim, ch. g. (Graves)	5	8	dis.	
Offertory, b. m. (Steiner)	8	dis.		
Helen Miller, ch. m. (Chandler)	9	dis.		

Time—2:12, 2:12, 2:12, 2:13½.

Zanesville Wins at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—A misplay at the plate and a fast double play by Zanesville in the ninth inning turned the tide of victory in favor of Zanesville this afternoon. Score:

Jnstown.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Zanesville.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Morgan 2.	1	2	1	1	1	Quinn r.	0	2	3	0	0
Nallin, r.	1	0	0	0	0	Cooper m.	0	1	0	0	0
A. Miller 1.	1	1	2	0	0	W. Miller 1.	1	2	9	0	1
J.M'rp'y 1.	0	1	9	2	0	Drumm 1.	1	2	8	0	0
Sandherr s.	0	0	3	4	1	Dithridge 2.	0	0	2	4	1
Vought 3.	0	1	0	1	0	Flood 3.	1	1	1	3	0
E.M'rp'y c.	0	2	8	1	0	Wrattan s.	0	0	3	3	0
Tate m.	0	0	3	4	0	Carson c.	0	0	7	0	0
West p.	0	1	0	3	0	Lucas p.	0	1	0	2	0
*McCon'll.	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	2	11	27	12	2	Totals	3	9	27	12	2

*Batted for West in the ninth inning.

Johnstown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—2
Zanesville	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—3

Two-base hit—Morgan. Three-base hit—Lucas. Home runs—W. Miller, Flood. Sacrifice hits—Dithridge, Flood. Stolen bases—Tate, W. Miller, Dithridge. Double plays—Dithridge and Wrattan; Wrattan, Dithridge and Drumm. Bases on balls—Vought. Hit by pitcher—Wrattan. Struck out—Nallin, 2; Sandherr, 2; Tate, West, Drumm, Flood, 2; Wrattan, 2; Carson. Time—1:40. Umpire—Brackenridge.

PITTSBURGH H. S. CRIPPLED FOR GENEVA COLLEGE SECOND

Shadyside Scrubs Do Well—Heidrick Is at Kiski—McCandless Appointed E. L. A. Captain.

The weather yesterday was to the liking of the football players and they indulged in hard practice. The local prep school candidates were out in force and the W. U. P. squad was sent through its work at the conclusion of the baseball game at Exposition park.

Pittsburgh High School.

High school will go into the game with the Geneva college reserves today minus Al. Blalas, who turned his knee Wednesday in practice. Pfeffer, who has been playing right end, will likely play halfback today, in that event Van Gorder will go to Pfeffer's end. Van Gorder is a diminutive youngster, but has shown such an aptitude to the game that he has forced older and stronger players out of the running for the position. Dave Johns will play quarter. Dunk Worrel's playing was one of the features of yesterday's practice, which was of a light nature.

Shadyside Academy.

The second team scored a well-earned touchdown on the first eleven, Wharton, the scrubs' right half, smashing through the line from the eight-yard line for the score. The ball was brought down the field by the scrubs by steady and consistent gains. The first team, however, got five touchdowns, Capt. Arch Williams having two, Patterson, McCracken and Miller, the latter the sub-halfback, one each. Patterson ran with the ball for 85 yards for his touchdown. Dick Mueller will probably be in shape for the game with Rayen High school tomorrow at Youngstown.

Kiski School.

H. Heidrick, right end on the Kiski eleven last year, entered school again yesterday at Salisbury and took part in the practice. Heidrick will make all other end candidates hustle for their positions. He is a brother of Emmet Heidrick, the St. Louis American outfielder. Meade Porterfield, who captained the team three years ago, visited the school yesterday and played half on the scrubs in the practice game. Porterfield is now in business at Oil City and is playing on the team there. Kiski will play the Bolivar A. C. Saturday at Bolivar.

East Liberty Academy.

Bill McCandless, fullback, has been appointed captain of the eleven by Coach Hudson. A practice game will be played today on the Braddock avenue grounds with the Wilkinsburg High school.

W. U. P.

Capt. Joe Thompson, who has charge of W. U. P. during Coach Mosse's illness, had the candidates do as much work as possible before darkness last evening. Westminster will be played tomorrow and Thompson is confident of taking the measure of the up-country collegians in easy fashion.

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A pleasing selection of styles and patterns in either single or double-breasted sack suits, in fancy cheviots and cassimeres, as well as plain colorings. Garments which have distinctive style and character and are certainly worth their price of..... $12.50

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A gathering of very fashionable single or double-breasted sack suits, in new mahogany and wood browns, as well as latest mixtures and overplaids in other tones. The finest line of up-to-the-minute garments ever offered at near our price of..... $16.50

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Extremely smart suits in either semi-form fitting or straight sack styles. The selection includes the new browns which are now so much worn, as well as grays and other fashionable shades and patterns. The perfect tailoring of these garments is evident at every point and their price is certainly an attractive feature at. $20

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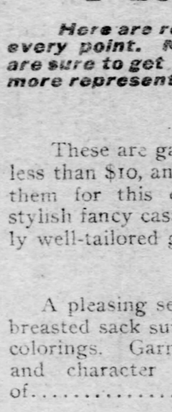

These prices which we quote here for Friday and Saturday should prove attractive indeed—for boys' clothing of dependable character and correct styles never sold at such little figures.

Eton Blouse Suits, in all the wanted shades of plain and fancy cheviots; also serges. Finished with white collar and tie to match. Plain or bloomer pants. Ages 4 to 10 years. Special showing at..... $3.90

Russian Blouse Suits of plain or fancy cheviots and serges. Neatly trimmed with soutache braids and tie. Extra white linen collar, and white kid or leather belts. Ages 2 to 6. Choice..... $4.90

Boys' Norfolk Suits, made of fancy cheviots and cassimeres, in all the correct fall colorings. Single or double-breasted coats, with box pleats and belts. Ages 6 to 15. Extraordinary offerings at..... $6

Boys' Overcoats, in the newest weaves and shades of plain or fancy cheviots. Long or medium lengths. Ages 8 to 16. Unequal showing at $12, $10, $7.50 and..... $6.50

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Stylish, light-weight topcoats, made of coverts, in correct shades and tailored and finished in a manner that insures serviceable and neat appearing coats. Extremely well lined. These garments are regular $12.50 values and are offered as special inducements during this sale at the price of..... $9.75

Men's Topcoats at $15.

Made of serviceable covert cloths, in the latest shades of tan and green, as well as some very neat fancy effects. Full silk lined. Skillfully tailored in a way that will please judges of good clothing. Also correct raincoats. Excellent garments at.. $15

Men's Topcoats at $20.

Ultra-fashionable coats in short box styles. Made of the finest quality imported coverts, as well as black unfinished worsteds. Lined with most desirable of linings. Also genuine cravenette raincoats. Garments that will give absolute satisfaction at..... $20

Men's Topcoats at $25.

The very highest grade of ready-to-wear coats, made in the fashionable lengths and of the very finest materials. Choice of the latest shades of browns, tans, olives and greens; as well as clever fancy mixtures and plain blacks. Also ultra-fashionable raincoats at this price of..... $25

Young Men's Smart Togs.

For young men's clothing of distinctive character in just the clever styles which this trade demands—come here, and you will find a selection which for price and fashion is sure to please.

Young Men's Suits, in the wanted shades of fancy cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres. Single or double-breasted coats. Ages 14 to 19 years. Attractive showing at..... $10

Young Men's Suits of Scotch cheviots, fancy worsteds and cassimere, in the newest shades for fall wear. Single or double-breasted coats. Ages 15 to 19. Rightly tailored garments at..... $13.50

Young Men's Overcoats, made of plain or fancy cheviots, in long or medium lengths. Half-belted backs. Ages 15 to 19. An unparalleled display at the popular prices of $20, $18, $15 and..... $12

Young Men's Topcoats, also raincoats, in the correct colorings. The topcoats are in the nobby short length and the raincoats in long effects. Special offerings at $18, $15 and..... $10

Young Men's Trousers, sizes 27 to 32 in seam, $1.50.

MAJOR HAMILTON DIED SUDDENLY

Death Claimed Prothonotary of Allegheny County After an Illness of Two Days.

KIRKER MAY SUCCEED HIM

Major James Burd Hamilton, prothonotary of Allegheny county, died at 6 o'clock yesterday morning at his home in Elizabeth. He had been ill of pneumonia for two days and his death came as a distinct shock to the community.

William B. Kirker immediately took charge of the prothonotary's office in the capacity of chief deputy. He will serve until Gov. S. W. Pennypacker appoints the successor of Major Hamilton. It is the general opinion that Mr. Kirker is in line of promotion.

Major Hamilton was at his office Tuesday. When he reached his home that evening he was feeling so ill that Dr. Joseph W. VanKirk, the family physician, was called in. The condition of the patient was so much worse on Wednesday that Dr. John A. Lichty was summoned into consultation. Everything possible was done to save Major Hamilton's life, but all efforts were unavailing, and, surrounded by the members of his family, he died at an early hour yesterday morning.

The news of the death of Major Hamilton was received in Pittsburgh early in the morning. None of his friends knew that his condition was so serious and the sudden death was a severe shock to them. He had not been feeling well for some time and his system was not in condition to stand the severe strain placed upon it by the disease.

Was 55 Years Old.

Major Hamilton was born in Elizabeth 55 years ago. He was a son of James and Elizabeth Hamilton, his father being one of the pioneer glass manufacturers in the Pittsburgh district. In 1870 Major Hamilton was married to Miss Jennie Burnett of Elizabeth. Four children were born and all of them are living. They are Mrs. Elizabeth Moore of West Elizabeth, Mame Hamilton, who lived with her father; Charles R. Hamilton, a lawyer in this city, and Burnett Hamilton, who is attending school. Mrs. Hamilton died 10 years ago.

Early in his life Major Hamilton was apprenticed to a carpenter and learned the trade. He aided in the erection of many of the principal buildings of the city built in the latter sixties. In 1872 he was given a clerkship in the prothonotary's office under the late J. O. Brown. From then until the time of his death Major Hamilton was connected with the office. Last fall he was elected prothonotary and had served less than a year of his term. During his career in the office as clerk, chief deputy and prothonotary, he made a high record for efficiency and courtesy. It was with profound regret that his countless friends heard of his death.

Had Good Military Record.

In 1878 Major Hamilton entered Company B, Fourteenth regiment, N. G. P., as a private. He rose rapidly in the service, serving successively as corporal, sergeant, first and second lieutenant, captain and major. He was known as one of the best tacticians in the state. He was a member of a number of secret organizations. Among the number were the Stephen Bayard lodge F. and A. M., Encampment lodge I. O. O. F., and the McKeesport lodge B. P. O. E.

Long before he entered the office of the prothonotary Major Hamilton took an active interest in politics. He was ever a stalwart Republican and had rendered much valuable service to the party in the many hard fought battles in the Sixth district. He had been a member of the Republican county committee for many years and for a time was its secretary.

The funeral services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church at Elizabeth Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It is probable that the Masons will have charge of the funeral. The sermon will be preached by the Rev. Sherman W. McCorkle. Many handsome floral tributes were sent to his late residence, Elizabeth, yesterday. The clerks in the prothonotary's office sent a piece emblematic of the scale of life. The Republican county committee will send a wreath five feet in height and three and one-half feet wide, on which are the words, "Our Friend." Commissioner Mercer has called a meeting of the county officials for this morning to take suitable action on the death of Major Hamilton.

Kirker May Not Be Eligible.

In accordance with the law, William B. Kirker, chief deputy in the office, yesterday assumed control. He furnished a $40,000 bond which was approved by the court and he was sworn to discharge the duties of prothonotary until the governor will appoint the successor of Maj. Hamilton. The appointee of the governor will serve until January, 1906, a prothonotary being elected at the election in November, 1905. While it is generally believed that Mr. Kirker is in line of promotion, he may not be able to secure the appointment unless the governor should decide to delay filling the vacancy until after the first of the year. Mr. Kirker is a member of the house from the Seventh district of this county, and his term does not expire until his successor qualifies in January. Under a constitutional provision the governor cannot appoint a member of the legislature to a position like the prothonotaryship.

Mr. Kirker has been a resident of Allegheny county 40 years. He was born in Butler November 21, 1860, and removed with his parents to Allegheny City in 1864, residing there until 1877, when he removed to Bellevue. He has ever since lived in Bellevue. Mr. Kirker was educated in the public schools and the Western University of Pennsylvania.

Has Had Much Experience.

When a very young man he served as clerk in the prothonotary's office. Afterward he served as court clerk of common pleas court No. 2. Then he read law with his father and was admitted to practice in the courts of Allegheny county September 16, 1886, and two years later was admitted to practice in the supreme court.

Mr. Kirker served successively as clerk of council, justice of the peace, councilman, president of council, borough solicitor and burgess of Bellevue. He was elected a member of the legislature from the Seventh legislative district of Allegheny county in 1900 and re-elected in 1902. He has been a lifelong Republican, and one of the most active members of the Republican organization. For 23 years he has been a member of the Republican county committee, and for 18 years has been in charge of the meetings and speakers' committee, 15 years as chairman and three as secretary. He was last Saturday elected chairman of the Seventh district Republican association to fill the vacancy caused by the death of George A. Chalfant.

THE DEATH ROLL

Dr. James L. McCulloch.

Dr. James L. McCulloch is dead at his home in Freeport, aged 55. He was born in Freeport and was graduated from Wooster university in 1874 and from Jefferson Medical college of Philadelphia in 1877. He began practicing medicine at Parker, Pa., where he stayed until 1881, when he came to Freeport. In 1882 he married Miss Kittie Evans of Parker. She, with three daughters, survives. Dr. McCulloch served on the Freeport school board for nine years. During Cleveland's second administration he was a pension examiner for Armstrong county. He was a director in the Freeport bank for 11 years and a member of the Armstrong County Medical association and the Allegheny Valley Medical association. He belonged to the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Margaret Minnock.

Mrs. Margaret Minnock, aged 49, wife of John B. Minnock, was found dead in bed at her home, 310 Second avenue, Homestead, by her husband when he returned home from work at the Carnegie steel mills shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday morning. Heart trouble is said to have been the cause of death. Mrs. Minnock attended a theater Wednesday night and was in her usual good health when she retired. She is survived by her husband and one son, James, and the following brothers and sisters: Frank Glooly of Crabtree, Pa.; Michael Glooly of Verona, Thomas Glooly of Munhall, J. J. Glooly of Homestead, Mrs. John Farley of Everson, Mrs. J. W. Gallagher of Buchtel, O., and Mrs. John Durkin of Crabtree.

Thomas M. Pollock.

Thomas M. Pollock, one of the best known euchreamen of the valley, died yesterday morning at Youngstown, O., after an illness of a year, aged 66. He was born in Pittsburgh. At an early age he removed to Poland, going to Youngstown when 16. He was in the employ of the Phoenix, the Eagle and the Brier Hill iron and coal companies, but in 1884 went west on account of ill health. Returning he took charge of the furnace of the Youngstown Iron and Steel Company. One daughter, Miss Mattie, survives. He is a brother of William B. Pollock of the William B. Pollock Company.

August F. Schurr.

August F. Schurr, aged 64, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 830 Stanton avenue, Millvale, after a short illness of bronchitis. He was born in Goppingen, Germany, and came to America 40 years ago. Four years later he married Miss Mary Popp. He lived in Lawrenceville until 18 years ago, when he removed to Millvale. For many years he was a shoe dealer in Pittsburgh and Millvale. Mr. Schurr was a member of Goethe lodge, A. O. U. W., and for 35 years was prominent in St. Paul's Reformed church, Pittsburgh. He is survived by his widow and six daughters: Mrs. Augusta Wilhelm, Mrs. William Diekroeger and Misses Kathryn, Mary, Ida and Elizabeth, all of Millvale, and one son, Henry W., of Santos, Brazil. Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Henry Holliger at St. Paul's Reformed church on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Margaret Hillborne.

Mrs. Margaret Hillborne died at the home of her nephew, H. N. Van Cleve, in Sewickley, last evening of pneumonia. Mrs. Hillborne was born in West Chester and spent the greater part of her life near Philadelphia, moving to Erie three years ago. She lived in Erie with her sister. She was aged 56 and a member of the English Lutheran church. Mrs. Hillborne is survived by two sisters, Mrs. John Van Cleve of Sewickley and Miss Kate M. Miller of Erie.

Merritt L. Joslyn.

Merritt L. Joslyn, who had been a resident of Woodstock, Ill., since 1839, died there yesterday after a long illness, aged 77. Mr. Joslyn was born in New York in 1832. He was first assistant secretary of the interior under President Arthur. He was a Buchanan elector in 1856, but became a Republican at the outbreak of the war, in which he served as a captain in the Thirty-sixth Illinois.

A. C. Ray.

A. C. Ray of Mercer, a clerk in the auditor-general's department, died at Harrisburg last evening of typhoid-malaria after an illness of 10 days. Mr. Ray was for many years editor of the Mercer Dispatch and Republican, and was actively identified with the Republican organization in Mercer county. He was an uncle of State Printer Ray. His body will be taken to Mercer for burial on Saturday.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Clarinda A. Geer aged 69, died yesterday at her home in Uniontown. She is survived by her husband, Elisha Geer, and three sons and two daughters.

Frederick Schlotter, aged 50, a well known farmer of Hempfield township, Westmoreland county, died early yesterday morning as the result of injuries sustained from falling from a tree a week ago. He leaves a widow and seven children.

Col. Charles P. Ball, a prominent Confederate general, former member of the Alabama railroad commission, formerly superintendent of the West Point railroad and superintendent of the Eastern & Western road, died at Montgomery, Ala., yesterday aged 67.

Agnes Guthrie McQuaide, aged 8, only daughter of Attorney Joseph R. McQuaide and Mrs. Agnes McQuaide, died suddenly at the family residence yesterday afternoon after an illness of a week with diphtheria. Funeral services will be held at the family residence this evening and interment will be made at Delmont tomorrow.

Mrs. Catherin O'Brien Smith, aged 55, wife of Philip Smith, is dead at her home, 649 Mifflin avenue, Wilkinsburg, of pneumonia. She came to Pittsburgh from Dublin, Ireland, 45 years ago. Funeral services will be held at St. James Catholic church, Wilkinsburg, at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

John Kirk, ex-county commissioner of Fayette county, died at Roscoe, Pa., at 2 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 50. Until his illness he was a pit boss for the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company. He formerly lived at Uniontown and it was during his residence there that he was elected commissioner of Fayette county, serving the term when the court house at that place was built. Surviving him are his wife and six children.

Mrs. Marie Kellner, wife of Burgess John Kellner, is dead at her home in Sutersville, aged 59. She was born in Germany, coming to this country in 1871. She was a member of the German Lutheran church. She leaves the following daughters by a previous marriage: Mrs. Elizabeth Kott, Charlerol; Mrs. Margaret Winzleman, McKeesport; Mrs. Mary Cook, Bellevernon; Mrs. Loulsa Gormley, East End, Pittsburgh. She married Mr. Kellner 12 years ago. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, interment following in the West Newton cemetery.

ARRANGEMENTS ARE ALL COMPLETE FOR TOMORROW

Merrill Dam Celebration Committee Has Arranged Every Detail for the Day.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ROCHESTER, PA., Oct. 13.—The Merrill Dam Celebration association met here tonight and completed arrangements for the demonstration of Saturday, October 15. Capt. John F. Dravo of Beaver presided at the meeting. Half-fare railroad rates have been secured from New Castle, Steubenville and Pittsburgh. The steamer Boaz will serve as the flagship in the river parade. Tickets for committees, press and other guests have been issued and 1,600 invitations have been sent out to distinguished persons. Three bands have been engaged for the day. Leaf hall, Rochester, will be the headquarters of the association on Saturday from 9 to 12 a. m.

There will be a ball game at 10:30 between the Rochester A. C. and the Monaca team. At 12 o'clock all bells will be rung and all whistles blown for five minutes. At 1 o'clock the river parade will start from the Rochester wharf in the following order: Steamer Boaz, with committees, speakers, press and other guests; second, steamer Enterprise; third, steamer Nellie Bartlett followed by other craft. The Boaz will enter the lock from dam No. 6, stern first. The Enterprise will follow, bow first. Addresses will be made from the deck of the Boaz by the following speakers: J. Francis Burke, Pittsburgh; W. E. Wells, East Liverpool; the Hon. John L. Vance, Columbus, O., president of the Ohio Valley Improvement association. Capt. John F. Dravo of Beaver will raise the national flag over the lock, and the dam will then be declared officially open by Maj. William L. Sibert, river engineer, of Pittsburgh.

CAUGHT BY OWN TRICK.

Trap Laid for Wife Results in the Arrest of a Newark (N. J.) Man.

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Horace Welch of 67 Clinton street, Paterson, suspicious of his wife, wrote her a letter, signing a fictitious name, and asking her to meet him at the Newark postoffice for a good time. He also asked for a reply to be sent to the general delivery in Newark.

Mrs. Welch had the letter turned over to the postal authorities, who sent a decoy to Welch. When he called for it Inspector Cortelyou arrested him.

Dr. Gladden Elected Moderator.

DES MOINES, IA., Oct. 13.—The triennial national council of the Congregational church was opened this afternoon. The Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden of Columbus, O., was elected moderator for the next triennial period.

INSTALLMENT MORTGAGES.

The Peoples Savings Bank, Wood street and Fourth avenue, has plenty of money to loan on good residence or business property in Allegheny county. By its plan of installment mortgages the principal may be reduced at each interest period. Write for booklet.

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AGED MAN BEGS FOR PRISON TERM

Declares He Stole Money from Man Who Refuses to Prosecute Him.

HE IS PLACED ON PROBATION

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ATTLEBORO, MASS., Oct. 13.—The strangest case that has been in the district court was heard this noon by Judge Byram. George R. Adams, aged about 65, who claims a residence in Newton, stood in the dock a self-confessed thief. Adams said that while he was in the employ of George E. Shaw of Mansfield he stole $85 from him, went west, and while there he was "haunted by his crime."

"I felt bad all the time I was there," he said. "I felt that I ought to be punished, so I came back, and I want to be made to suffer for the crime more than I have suffered yet."

He said that he came back east and surrendered to the Providence police. They communicated with Deputy Sheriff Perry of Mansfield and that official took him into custody. Mr. Shaw said that he had lost some money, but he would never have connected Adams with its disappearance. He refused to prosecute him, and said he would not have appeared in court if he had not been summoned.

Adams then begged to be sent to the house of correction at New Bedford. Judge Byram said he could not do that, as there was no evidence of complaint against him, and instead he would place him on probation. This did not please Adams, and he pleaded energetically for the punishment which he said was due him. Mr. Shaw was again asked if he wanted to make complaint, but he declined. Adams was then placed in custody of the probation officers, and Mr. Shaw furnished him with money for meals and transportation to where he cared to go.

SOTHERN AND MARLOWE'S MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING

Large Audience at Nixon Witnessed Fine Presentation of Shakespeare's Comedy.

An overflowing and enthusiastic audience saw E. H. Sothern and Julia Marlowe present "Much Ado About Nothing" at the Nixon last night. This comedy was already presented during Shakespeare's lifetime under the title of "Benedick and Beatrice," and, of course, these were the roles taken by the two stars, although their story has a minor share in the plot. Mr. Sothern's Benedick was admirable on the whole—a little too studied in gesticulation at the beginning, a little strained in the scene with Beatrice at the close of act 4, a little too much of Malvolio as the sighing lover; but these trifling deficiencies, which a few performances will eliminate or mellow, were quite eclipsed by the volatile grace with which he carried the comedy scenes, especially the scene in which he overhears the tale of Beatrice's love, and the fine artistic restraint with which he delivered his challenge to Claudio in the last act. It was an admirable portrayal of one of the rarest characters Shakespeare has given us.

No less can be said of Miss Marlowe's Beatrice. One thought at first that she might put more acid into the part, and less archness, but this impression vanished as she sparkled through her scenes, until one truly felt her words—"There was a star danced, and under that was I born." The immortal wit of Shakespeare never missed when her lips sped the shaft. Only at the close of the fourth act was she melodramatic and strained. Her comedy work throughout was crystalline and natural.

Next to the stars, the best work was done by Rowland Buckstone as the fatastically absurd Dogberry. His examination of the two culprits was so full of rich unction that it earned him a double curtain call. Norman Hackett as Claudio was rather tame; Sidney C. Mather as Don John (the prototype of Shakespeare's Iago) was a somewhat stagy villain; William Harris as Leonato is given to accentuating the wrong word. Edeson R. Miles sang the ballad in act 2 with much feeling and fine voice. T. C. Coleman's Friar Francis was declamatory; Malcolm Bradley's Verges a fair piece of comedy work. Mary Hall as Hero was sweet and meek, as Hero should be, but there is no conceivable reason why she should smile when she is led off in act 4.

The costumes were rich and tasteful, if not exactly historic, and the scenic investiture hit the right mean between the sometimes sorely inadequate and sometimes sorely overdone settings that we have seen in Shakespearean drama. It is Shakespeare the people want, not the stage carpenter. They showed this last night, for rarely has the Nixon held a larger audience and rarely has an audience left the theater better pleased.

MISS GRANT TO WED.

Granddaughter of the Famous General Is to Become the Wife of a Naval Officer.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Announcement has been received in St. Louis of the approaching marriage, to take place in New York, October 17, of Miss Miriam Grant, eldest daughter of U. S. Grant, Jr., and granddaughter of Gen. Grant, to Lieut. U. S. Macy of the United States navy.

Lieut. Macy is a Missouri man, who has many friends in St. Louis. His home is in Laclede, Mo., where his father is a banker.

MONEY FOR TUSKEGEE.

Iowa Millionaire Leaves $100,000 to Booker Washington's School. Other Bequests.

DES MOINES, IA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The will of Thomas Callahan, millionaire philanthropist, was filed for probate here today.

He left $100,000 to the Tuskegee institute, $70,000 to the Iowa Humane society, $50,000 for a home here for drunkards' wives, $20,000 to the Salvation Army, and $10,000 to the American Peace society of Boston.

KING PIN IN FIRST.

Captures Unfinished Race at Johnstown With Snow Boy Second.

JOHNSTOWN, Oct. 13.—A small crowd saw rather spirited racing at Westmont park today. The 2:25 pace, unfinished from Tuesday, was won by King Pin. Snow Boy was second, Carroll E. third and Allie Moore fourth. Best time, 2:21¼. Summary:

2:26 trot, purse $400—

Henry Clay	1	1	1		
Janie Meredith	2	2	2		
Boreal Wilkes	3	4	4		
Regal Baron	5	5	3		

King Lorin and Mabelle also started.
Time—2:25¼, 2:25¼, 2:25¼.

2:16 pace, purse $400—

Stella	5	1	3	1	2 1
Ella Purcell	1	2	1	3	3 2
John R. Gentry	6	7	8	2	1 3
Sallie Derby	3	3	2	8	6 ro

Hartford, Isabelle, Greymont, Ruth C. and Cock of the Rock also started.
Time—2:19¾, 2:18¾, 2:18¾, 2:18¼, 2:18¼, 2:18¼, 2:19.

2:21 trot, purse $400 (unfinished)—

Liso	3	2	2	1
Nellie B.	4	1	3	3
Joe Murphy	1	3	5	5
Miss Virgie B.	5	5	1	2

Billy George also started.
Time—2:21½, 2:21½, 2:22¼, 2:21¼.

Lawrenceville Beats Princeton Fresh.

LAWRENCEVILLE, N. J., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Lawrenceville won from Princeton freshmen today, 17 to 6. The teams were about evenly matched in weight, but the team work of Lawrenceville was much better developed. The feature was the extraordinary playing of McKaig of Lawrenceville. He made three runs of 40 yards each at different stages of the game.

BRONZE MEDAL WON BY FOWNES

Had the Lowest Score in the Qualifying Round of Golf Tourney.

MORNING'S MATCH PLAY

The qualifying round of 36 holes in the sixth annual tournament for the amateur golf championship of Western Pennsylvania was played yesterday on the links of the Oakmont Country club. W. C. Fownes, Jr., of the club, had the lowest score, 161, thereby winning the bronze medal prize. There were 40 entries, two of whom withdrew. Four flights of eight qualified to continue at match play. The play resulted in a tie for eighth place, first eight, J. O'H. Denny and J. S. Martin each having 181. There were four ties for a place on the second eight and three ties for two places on the fourth eight. These ties will be played off before 9:30 this morning.

W. C. Fownes, Jr., is playing even golf, as his score of yesterday, 161, is the same as he made on Wednesday in the competition in which he won the open championship competition. E. M. Byers, the open and amateur champion in 1902, showed a flash of his game in the morning round and his going foreshadowed that he would return the lowest qualifying score. He went out in 39 and came home in 40, a 79, one under bogey, against 81 for Fownes, but his indifferent work on the greens caused him to take 86 in the afternoon. He will meet Mr. Fownes in the first match play round and the contest for the championship will be decided right there. G. A. Ormiston, the present amateur champion, is always a contender in any golf competition, national or otherwise, but he did not go very well yesterday, as his business does not admit of his getting the practice he requires. Ormiston meets R. P. Nevin, Jr., in the first round, a very strong match player.

Visiting players entered in the competition find some difficulty in getting acquainted with the putting greens. They differ from those hereabout in that they are not as rich in sod yet and are consequently hard and keen. The course calls for golf all the time and mistakes are promptly penalized.

The cards of the first eight were as follows:

W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont Country club—

Out	5	6	5	7	5	5	3	4	6	5—43
In	5	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	5	5—38—81
Out	5	7	4	5	5	4	3	4	3	5—40
In	5	4	7	3	4	5	4	5	4	4—41—81—162

E. M. Byers, Allegheny Country club—

Out	5	4	6	5	4	5	3	4	4	4—39
In	5	4	3	5	3	6	4	4	3	4—40—79
Out	4	5	5	6	4	4	4	5	6	4—43
In	6	4	7	3	5	4	4	4	6	4—43—86—165

R. P. Nevin, Jr., Allegheny Country club—

Out	6	5	4	6	4	3	6	5	5	4—44
In	5	5	7	3	6	5	4	4	6	4—45—89
Out	4	6	5	6	4	3	5	5	5	4—47
In	4	5	5	4	4	5	4	4	6	4—41—81—170

G. A. Ormiston, Oakmont Country club—

Out	7	5	5	6	7	3	5	3	4	4—45
In	5	5	6	3	6	5	4	5	5	4—44—89
Out	5	5	5	5	4	3	4	4	5	4—40
In	6	3	6	3	5	6	4	5	4	4—42—82—171

H. C. Fownes, Oakmont Country club—

Out	5	5	5	6	3	3	4	4	5	4—38
In	5	4	5	5	5	5	4	6	5	5—44—82
Out	6	4	5	5	4	4	4	4	6	4—42
In	5	5	7	3	6	6	4	6	5	4—47—89—171

C. B. Fownes, Oakmont Country club—

Out	7	4	6	6	5	5	4	4	4	4—43
In	7	4	6	4	5	7	4	4	4	5—42—85
Out	7	4	6	5	5	3	5	4	6	4—45
In	6	5	5	3	5	5	3	4	5	5—41—86—175

J. D. Duff, Edgewood Golf club—

Out	5	6	5	7	5	3	6	5	6	4—48
In	5	4	7	3	5	6	4	5	7	4—48—96
Out	5	5	6	7	4	4	4	5	5	4—49
In	5	4	6	3	5	5	4	4	5	4—41—84—180

J. O'H. Denny, Oakmont Country club—

Out	4	6	5	5	6	4	6	4	6	4—46
In	4	5	6	3	5	6	4	6	5	4—44—90
Out	5	6	5	3	5	5	5	5	6	4—47
In	5	5	5	3	6	6	5	4	4	4—41—91—181

J. S. Martin, Oakmont Country club—

Out	5	7	4	5	5	4	5	4	6	4—46
In	5	4	7	5	5	5	3	4	5	4—43—89
Out	6	5	6	6	5	3	5	3	7	4—48
In	5	5	7	3	5	6	5	5	5	4—46—92—181

The scores of the second eight were:

William Frew, Pittsburgh Golf club	44	43	49	45	—184
O. D. Thompson, Allegheny Country Golf club	46	52	41	45	—184
W. C. Fownes, Oakmont Country club	46	47	48	44	—185
C. C. Preston, Pittsburgh Field club	44	52	46	46	—188
J. E. Porter, Allegheny Country club	49	46	45	48	—188
T. K. Laughlin, Pittsburgh Golf club	47	48	48	46	—189
F. X. Barr, Pittsburgh Golf club	46	50	47	47	—190
R. L. James, Brighton Country club	45	48	46	51	—190
M. A. Preston, Pittsburgh Golf club	46	50	46	48	—190
E. E. Giles, Pittsburgh Golf club	46	50	46	48	—190

The scores of the third eight were:

G. E. McCague, Edgeworth club	48	47	44	52	—191
W. H. Duff II., Edgewood Golf club	48	50	44	50	—192
D. D. Pendleton, Westmoreland Country club	47	51	45	49	—192
H. R. Rea, Allegheny Country club	50	49	46	48	—193
J. Rea Patterson, Edgewood Golf club	48	50	47	49	—194

The scores of the fourth eight were:

G. W. Wurzell, Edgewood Golf club	51	47	44	53	—195
M. D. Ritchie, Pittsburgh Field club	46	53	49	49	—197

B. H. Evans, Allegheny Country club ..... 46 53 50 48—197
T. M. Marshall, Jr., Pittsburgh Golf club ..... 50 47 48 53—198
L. C. Liddell, Pittsburgh Field club ..... 50 52 48 49—199
F. S. Viele, Westmoreland Country club ..... 47 50 52 51—200
John Moorhead, Jr., Allegheny Country club ..... 49 48 51 54—202
J. H. Reed, Jr., Pittsburgh Golf club ..... 46 53 48 53—202
W. A. Nicholson, Oakmont Country club ..... 47 53 52 50—202

Other scores were:

J. S. McCormick	49	53	48	53	—203
J. T. Moore	48	50	51	54	—203
W. W. Patterson	53	52	53	53	—211
A. G. Roenigh	53	60	56	58	—227

Withdrew—Edwin Z. Smith and W. N. Kerr.

This morning the first match play rounds for the four flights of eight in the program and the semi-finals in the afternoon. The rounds are each at 18 holes. Tomorrow comes the finals at 36 holes and also the handicap. The pairings for the first rounds are as follows:

First eight—The start will be made at 9:30. H. C. Fownes versus winner of tie, R. P. Nevin, Jr., versus G. A. Ormiston, E. M. Byers versus W. C. Fownes, Jr., and C. B. Fownes versus J. D. Duff.

Second eight—Start will be made at 9:50. J. E. Porter versus William Frew. O. D. Thompson versus loser in first eight tie, W. C. Fownes versus winner tie second eight, C. C. Preston versus T. K. Laughlin.

Third eight—Start will be made at 10:10. W. H. Duff versus R. C. Long, loser second eight tie versus loser, D. D. Pendleton versus H. R. Rea, loser second eight tie versus G. E. McCague.

Fourth eight—Start will be made at 10:30. F. S. Viele versus B. H. Evans, winner fourth tie versus G. W. Wurzell. J. Rea Patterson versus M. B. Ritchie, L. C. Liddell versus T. M. Marshall, Jr.

All ties must be played off before 9:30.

FINAL GAME OF SERIES WILL BE PLAYED TODAY

Pittsburgh and Cleveland Teams Will Be Hot After Victory—Players Ready to Depart.

The fifth and last game of the Cleveland-Pittsburgh series will be played at Exposition park this afternoon. The weather indications are for fair and warmer weather and this prediction reduces the chance of a game at Cleveland Saturday to the minimum. The teams have already played two tie games and there is not one chance in a hundred of another drawn battle, so that today's game will decide the series and the winner today will carry off the honors. As the match now stands with one victory for each club and two ties, the loser will get almost as much glory out of the games as the winner. The only one-sided game was the one that the Pirates captured at Cleveland when the final score was 7 to 3.

Cleveland will probably use Pitcher Hess, the giant left hander, today. He officiated in the first game at Cleveland and the only batting that the Pirates did in that game was Wagner's home run over the left field fence. Hess was lucky, however, to escape defeat as the tieing run was scored on the muff of a third strike. Clarke would not say last night whether Flaherty or Robertaille will work for Pittsburgh. He may give the little fellow a chance in order to try him out against a team that is admitted by everybody to be the best batting aggregation in the American league. Robertaille practiced the spit ball before the game yesterday, but did not master it as completely as Flaherty has done.

Nearly all of the Pirates spent the entire forenoon yesterday in a bird-shoot which was arranged for their entertainment at Carnegie. They left Pittsburgh at 8 o'clock in the morning and did not return until nearly 2 in the afternoon. After shooting all morning and playing in the afternoon they were a tired lot last night.

There will be a scattering of the players tonight. Clarke will be first out. He is due in Chicago Saturday morning. Phelps is going to Albany tomorrow. Bransfield, Gilbert and Kruger, who are going to Cuba on October 25, are preparing for the trip. Leever, Philippe and Wagner have planned a hunting trip.

After the game yesterday fully 1,000 persons remained at Exposition park to watch the W. U. P. varsity and the scrub team practice. The speed with which the team was put through its paces pleased Capt. Thompson was commented upon favorably.

MAY SHIFT HORSES.

Smathers May Race Ida Highwood Instead of Major Delmar.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—E. E. Smathers' determination to retire from the trotting turf and sell all of his valuable pacers and trotters, including Major Delmar, Lou Dillon's only rival, may cause a change in the program of the opening day of the local trotting association, which called for a second meeting between the two horses in the annual race for the Memphis gold cup.

Information has reached the local officials that Smathers may decline the meeting for Major Delmar with C. K. G. Billings' queen of trotters. Should this be so it is likely that the race will eventuate into a contest between Smathers' Ida Highwood and Billings' The Monk. Smathers secured Ida Highwood after she had been turned adrift by Billings, and it is an open secret among horsemen that one of Smathers' cherished ideas before retiring from the harness arena is to beat his old-time rival with the cast-off from his own stable.

The race for the gold cup this year will settle permanent possession of the valuable trophy. In 1902 Lord Derby, driven by Smathers, won the cup, beating The Monk with Billings up. Last season Lou Dillon defeated Major Delmar.

ON THE SAFETY OF OVER-EATING.

The Rule of Choosing the Lesser of Two Evils Applies to the Way You Eat.

I want to know how a man is to know when he has had enough?

The Pilgrim Fathers, I believe, had a quaint saying to the effect that you should always rise from the table feeling as if you could eat some more.

But the question is, how much more?

Just when to stop?

That's the point.

The rule is wrong, because it's no rule at all.

It is inexact and unscientific.

It is likely to lead to the dangerous habit of eating too little.

And eating too little—or digesting too little, which amounts to the same thing—is the cause of nine-tenths of the diseases from which humanity suffers today.

What is disease?

It is simply uneven balance between waste and repair.

Some organ lacks strength to carry on the special work for which it was created.

Where shall it find the strength it lacks?

In drugs?

Ten thousand times, NO!

Better die than become a hopeless drug fiend.

No; in food.

"But," you say, "I eat a-plenty of good food every day!"

True, dear friend; but you don't digest it. And food, undigested, is mere poison.

So, to make food do you good, you must take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

The great thing about Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is, that their action does not depend upon stimulative druggery.

They cannot create a habit.

They contain no ingredients to "pick-you up," "tone up your nervous system" or furnish whip energy, by calling out your vital reserve force.

They create new strength, force and energy—out of your food.

If taken starving, they will do you no good at all.

So eat to live, and live to eat, with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

The curse of our present civilization is exhaustion.

And exhaustion, whether of brain, nerves, physical strength, or vital force, is caused by starvation.

Of two evils, it is better to oversat (and prevent indigestion with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets), than to rise from the table, not having eaten enough to repair the exhaustion of your vital forces.

For exhaustion or starvation leads to the most varied forms of sickness or disease, brought on by inability of the weakened vitality to counteract the disease—poisons and microbes.

Whereas, the well-fed and well-nourished person, without ever feeling the worse for it, can expose himself to dangers, the mere thought of which would drive the weak, starveling dyspeptic into a panic fit.

Good food, well digested, is the great secret of a healthful existence here on earth.

So eat heartily, every day, of the best food you can get, and regulate the working of your digestive machinery with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

As a result, you will be astonished to find how much stronger and livelier you feel, how much more and better work you can do, how much more pleasure you will get out of life, and how your old enemy, that chronic trouble which has fastened upon your weak spot, wherever it is, will up and away, and ever after leave you in peace, health and comfort.

There's more truth than poetry in all this. Try it once.

Two severe cases of Ovarian Trouble and two terrible operations avoided. Mrs. Emmons and Mrs. Coleman each tell how they were saved by

D. P. REIGHARD'S WIZARD WAND

Locates Water With Same Unerring Precision It Erstwhile Tapped the Oil Strata.

DISCOVERS SPARKLING SPRING

As the modern Moses who smote the rock, causing water to gush forth, David P. Reighard, the oil man, is the admiration of his Carolina street tenants. Mr. Reighard used, wizard-like, to strike oil wherever he planted his drill; apparently he locates water with the same unerring instinct. By virtue of his Mosaic feat he has produced a spring of clear, cold, sparkling water, which just now it flows down the hillside toward Second avenue, a trough preventing it from spreading over the ground. It is such an eligible spring, however, that an iron pipe may be laid to bring it down to Second avenue, to furnish entertainment to man and beast.

And Mr. Reighard was looking for water, too; not that he needed a spring in his business, but because he suspected it was some subterranean aqueous agency that threatened to deprive some of his houses of their foundations. The hill was sliding away, and although no water was discovered when the workmen sought the cause of the landslides.

Back Yards Were Sliding.

Mr. Reighard owns a row of brick houses in Carolina street, beginning at the corner of Hamlet street. The front doors are on a level with Hamlet, but as the rear of the houses extend out over the steep hillside above Second avenue. The back yards are made of planking, supported on posts. Last spring the occupants of 310, 312 and 314 were alarmed by the sound of earth sliding away beneath the planked yards. The sliding continued for weeks, and finally a row of posts driven into the hillside to support the embankment above was forced out of the ground and thrown down the hill, followed by mud, flowing in such quantities that the occupants of a house on the declivity were forced to abandon their domicile. Lately, these disturbances became more frequent.

The reason is plain enough to the man wading up Second avenue. Looking at the bluff one remarks three distinct geological strata, overlooking the river. At the bottom is a layer of clay, then comes a vein of rock, while at the top a layer of dirt and shale caps the hill. Where the houses rest upon the shale which is supported by the rock formation, the foundations are perfectly secure, but there are occasional faults in the rock stratum. In places it stops abruptly, leaving a gap where the shale and clay shows through the rock resuming its course beyond the gap.

Discovery of the Spring.

Now 310, 312 and 314 are built right upon such a gap in the rock and the weight of the buildings pressing down upon the clay and shale was gradually forcing it through the gap. Reighard realized that the subsidence could be cured by building a wall to tie the two extremities of the rock formation together, and yesterday men were at work building a concrete dike that will hold back the hill and make the houses as secure as if they rested upon the rock of Gibraltar. In digging for the foundation of the wall a slight dampness was discovered, and Mr. Reighard concluded that somewhere in the bowels of the earth a spring was seething, that had to be confined before even the concrete wall could be deemed a perfect security.

Workmen dug under the cellars of 310, 312 and 314 without finding evidence of a spring, but when they went into the cellar of 316 they soon found it. It was rather a remarkable discovery, too, for the cellar of the house was perfectly dry, the spring having its course beneath the cemented floor. Had the builders of the house gone a little lower they must have found the spring.

Now, right where the water burst from the ground a pipe has been laid, leading out under the foundation an emerging at the surface, down the hill from the new concrete wall. The workmen tasted the water and found it cold and sweet. It is too good to waste, and if Mr. Reighard does not provide a pipe to lead it down to Second avenue Director Bigelow, of the department of public works, will be asked to do the work.

Of course, the spring was always there, but it is surmised that it sank into the ground through some vertical crevice, at last finding its way into the underground river, which Mr. Reighard's friend, Controller John B. Larkin, says, flows on and on a quarter-mile or so beneath the crust of the earth.

ROBBERS CAUSE FIRE WITH LOSS OF $100,000

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 13.—The big factory of William Scull & Co., wholesale dealers in coffee, tea and spices, was destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $100,000. The fire was caused by robbers. Their purpose was evidently to secure some of the numerous articles which the company gives as prizes with its products and which were stored in one of the buildings.

Mr. Hobson at New Castle.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Commander Richmond Pearson Hobson tonight addressed the Lawrence County Teachers' institute upon "America's Great Opportunity." Today's enrollment reached a record mark, as all the city teachers and all but one of the county teachers were present. The institute will close tomorrow afternoon.

Paint Exploded, Causing Fire.

Fire caused by the explosion of a barrel of paint in the works of the Chess-Cook Company at Rankin yesterday afternoon, threatened to destroy the plant, and was only extinguished after hard work by the Rankin fire department. The damages will amount to about $400.

Eloping Couple Found Dead.

RICHMOND, VA., Oct. 13.—Miss Bessie Stone and Robert Gill, who eloped from Ashland Tuesday, were found dead with their hands clasped near a pond in that vicinity today. A bullet hole in the head of each told the story of supposed double suicide.

BOSWELL'S BILL WAS DISMISSED

Contract Not to Sell Stock Is in Derogation of Common Right.

BAKING COMPANY TO PAY UP

Judge Shafer yesterday dismissed the equity suit of George B. Boswell against Boggs & Buhl and others, entered to prevent the defendant from transferring some of their stock. Boswell alleged it was in violation of an agreement. The opinion is of considerable importance. The court says:

"While such a contract as this restraining the alienation of shares of stock in a corporation is not unlawful, yet it is so far in derogation of common right that a contract not to sell shares of stock at all, except under certain circumstances, must be construed strictly against the party who desires to prevent the free sale and disposal of the property."

Joseph F. Carr, formerly a saloonkeeper of Seventh avenue and Smithfield street, was convicted of a charge of false pretense. The prosecutor, Henry McGrory, alleged Carr obtained $9,000 from him by misrepresenting that he had a long lease on his saloon and was not in debt, thereby selling a half interest in the establishment to the prosecutor. Carr claimed as a defense that he did not make the representations the prosecutor claimed he did.

Heinrich Heinrich was acquitted of a misdemeanor made by his business partner, Jacob A. Fuss, who alleged he took $253 13 of the firm's funds.

J. A. Knadler, receiver of the Homestead Baking Company, filed his first and final account. He charges himself with a total of $165,168 15. Of this amount the real estate and machinery represent $105,078 08. He credits himself with $119,349 17 for turning the plant and equipment, which includes teams, etc., over to the Guarantee Title and Trust Company, which now has the affair in charge. The trial balance shows that the principal items of indebtedness are the stock, valued at $80,300, and a mortgage of $37,000. The total amount involved in the trial balance is $152,534 38. The assets show the company will be able to cover its liabilities.

A petition in involuntary bankruptcy was filed against Benjamin A. Ride of Mercer, Pa. The petitioners, W. T. McBurney, F. K. Squier and C. W. Forest, all of Grove City, present claims amounting to $1,886 80.

The supreme court adjourned yesterday at noon, the work of the first week having been finished. Next week cases from Beaver, Butler, Greene, Indiana, Lawrence and Washington counties will be argued. Only two arguments were heard yesterday, both from Venango county. One was the case of S. H. Simpson vs. the Pennsylvania railroad, appellant. Simpson was injured in a railroad wreck and sued for damages. The jury awarded him $41,200, the second largest verdict ever given in Pittsburgh. The court gave Simpson the option of agreeing to take $22,000 or having a new trial. The railroad company appealed. The other case was that of G. W. Ihrig, appellant, vs the Erie Railroad Company. Ihrig was run down while driving over a crossing, the watchman lowering the gate after he was on the track. He was non-suited because he did not "stop, look and listen."

The master in the divorce suit of Mary E. Graf against Herman Graf recommends a decree on the grounds of desertion.

By the will of David Davis, Jr., late of Pittsburgh, a $16,000 estate is disposed of to his family.

The following executions were issued: Hudson & Howley, use, vs. Samuel J. Schlagel, $873 73; Amalia Schwarz vs. David G. Bealor, $2,720 83; Stanislaus Zoct vs. William C. Haslage, $6,520; Adaline Marshall vs. Philip T. Hughes, $3,028 72; Harriett Virginia Barett vs. Elva Rollins, $12,312 48; Cosmopolitan Saving and Loan association vs. the South Hills Trust Company, administrator of Bernhard Droeger, deceased, et al., $2,122 99; Daniel E. Nuttal vs. Theodore Torpey, administrator, $1,821 65; John Heinen vs. Charles Heinen, $1,000; commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ex rel. John Young, vs. Robert W. Hervey et al., $22,064; Thomas Lawry et al., vs. Thomas Lamm, $60.

ROBINSON GETS A PARDON.

Pittsburgh Man Sentenced to Death in Ohio Finally Gets His Release.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Zachariah S. Robinson, who killed his wife in this city April 24, 1897, will be released from the Ohio penitentiary on Saturday. At his first trial he was found guilty of first degree murder and was sentenced to be electrocuted. He finally pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree and was given a life sentence. Gov. Herrick, by request of the pardon board, commuted his sentence.

Robinson is 54 years old, formerly a painter, and resided in Frankstown avenue, Pittsburgh. The woman he murdered was a professional pedestrian and was here taking part in a six-day walking match. A letter seemed to him conclusive proof of her infidelity and Robinson followed her to this city and killed her.

PRESIDENT PREPARING TO SECURE PEACE CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The president is preparing to redeem his promise to the delegates to the interparliamentary peace conference to secure another meeting of plenipotentiaries of the powers signatory to The Hague convention, with a view to revising and adding to that instrument. It will be at least a year and probably a longer period before the meeting can be held.

DOCTOR REMOVES A CORK FROM NOSTRIL OF A BOY

For nearly three hours yesterday afternoon George Faulds, the 3-year-old son of Andrew Faulds of Fifth avenue, Homestead, had a cork stuffed up his nose, and it required heroic efforts on the part of a physician to remove it. The boy was playing with the cork and accidentally shoved it up his nostril, and it was some time later before it was discovered by his father.

The Rev. J. B. Dunn Dying.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The Rev. Dr. J. B. Dunn, father of the measure which resulted in the abolition of the army canteen, and the active head of the National Temperance society, is dying in this city from the results of an operation.

INDIAN DESERTS TO BE IRRIGATED

Order Placed for 300,000 Feet of Pipes to Be Shipped Into the Interior.

DROUGHT CAUSES A FAMINE

Pittsburgh is to assist in the development of India, and to aid in the prevention of the yearly famines that cause the death of thousands of natives. The plan is to irrigate the arid lands, making it possible for the natives to grow sufficient food. With this end in view an order was placed with local manufacturers for 300,000 feet of pipe aggregating 15,000 tons.

The order was placed yesterday by John C. Naegley, who represents a New York exporting firm, and calls for an early delivery. The pipe will be shipped direct to Calcutta, after which it will be taken into the interior of India as fast as it can be transported.

Mr. Naegley was in Pittsburgh several days placing the order and left last night over the Pennsylvania railroad for his headquarters in Philadelphia. He is well acquainted with the conditions in India. He says the western countries, for humanity's sake, must go to the rescue of India. He claims that last year fully 75,000 people died of starvation or by sickness resulting from lack of sufficient nourishment. This year, he says, the fatalities from this cause will exceed all previous years, due principally to the exceptional drouth.

The land in India, said Mr. Naegley, is fertile and rich, but the heat of the sun dries it up until it is as fine as flour. In the province of Pumjarb there are few rivers, and until irrigation is established vegetables cannot be grown, epidemics will visit the communities, and starvation is inevitable.

The English government is doing all in its power to make the natives self-supporting, but the demands are far greater than the facilities.

Mr. Naegley was formerly chief engineer of the Schiffler Bridge Company.

AUTOMOBILE CLUB TO ASSIST THE POLICE

Reward of $50 for Arrest of Reckless Drivers—Attorney Burke Will Prosecute.

The Automobile club of Pittsburgh has taken steps to co-operate with the police department in punishing any person who violates the law with reference to the proper operation of automobiles in or outside of the city, and this effort will no doubt result in better protection to the general public from careless and reckless use of these machines.

James Francis Burke, attorney for the club, has been directed to assist in the prosecutions brought for offenses against the law governing the running of automobiles. This is in connection with the reward of $50 which the club offers for the arrest and conviction of anyone violating the law. Mr. Burke is a member of the club's committee on law and ordinance, William Flinn and Peter Hermes being the other two members.

"It is the duty of this committee," said Mr. Burke yesterday, "to see that the laws and ordinances are obeyed by the members of the club and the general public not members of the club. Recently there was a smash in which an automobile going at a speed contrary to law ran into a carriage and badly hurt the occupants. The club at once offered the reward, but we have never been able to find the offender, who did not even stop to find out what injury he had done. Had we found him to be a member of this club he would have been expelled at once. Our constitution and by-laws provide that we shall assist in the strict enforcement of the laws and any infraction of the law is dealt with promptly by the club. We realize that there is a prejudice against automobiles and they are looked upon as dangerous vehicles, and for that reason this club was formed for the avowed purpose of showing the public that those who run automobiles generally are careful, considerate and law-abiding persons."

Lake Tug Men on Strike.

ASHTABULA, O., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The tug firemen on the Great Lakes Towing Company's tugs at Ashtabula Harbor went out on a strike this afternoon. The trouble started Monday evening when the firemen on one of the tugs who had been called to make a tow after 5:30, refused to do so, claiming it to be their night off. The company has referred the matter to President Keefe of the Longshoreman's union.

MR. HAYDEN'S VIEWS

GIVES HIS OPINION OF THE BEST TREATMENT FOR PARALYSIS.

Declares That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored the Use of His Limbs When All Other Remedies Failed.

The pressure of modern life creates so great a strain that few are free from the dread of using up their supply of nervous energy and thousands are already crippled and utterly discouraged.

All such will welcome the account here given of an instance of complete recovery from a paralytic's helpless state by simple means within the reach of every sufferer. It is scarcely necessary to say that a remedy which will cure an advanced and complicated case may be employed with still greater confidence where the premonitory symptoms are recognized and treatment begun at once. These symptoms are briefly: Trembling of the hands; sudden loss of power in the arms or legs, frequently affecting one whole side of the body; staggering; partial or entire inability to use the fingers; distortion of the features, sometimes an uncontrollable quivering of the chin; severe pains; difficulty in speech. Frequently the first warning is a vague feeling of headache, vertigo and muscular weakness.

In a recent interview Mr. W. J. L. Hayden gave the following account of his own sufferings and cure: "I truly think," said he "that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a great medicine, for they cured me when physicians and other remedies had failed to give me the slightest relief. I had been giving too close attention to business, and overwork brought on an attack of nervousness which finally developed into paralysis. There were times when it was impossible for me to move my hands or to get up from a chair. At other times I had partial control of my limbs, but I was afraid to go far from the house for fear I might suddenly become helpless and have to be carried home.

"While I was in this miserable condition, I was stricken with malarial fever and confined to bed for four months. I had the best physicians, but, while they relieved my fever, their treatment did not entirely drive the malaria from my system, and they did not help my paralysis in the least.

"I was well-nigh despairing of ever being cured, when a friend persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had finished one box I could see results that encouraged me to buy a second box. My condition kept steadily improving, and when I had taken seven boxes I was cured of paralysis and the malaria was completely driven out of my system. For two years now I have enjoyed the best of health and have attended to business without any interruption."

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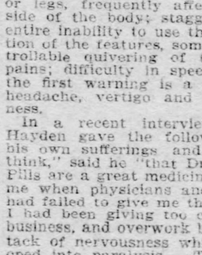

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for November
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WE have made this a special Thanksgiving Number on our own account—a sort of housewarming to be shared by all the members of The Delineator Family in celebration of our being at last comfortably settled in our new building—the biggest one in the world occupied exclusively by any publishing house and its interests.

We have described and pictured some of its unique features, and have told how the Butterick business came to be so great, and how fashions become fashionable, and how the magazine is made. This is all very interesting.

The Winter fashions find their fullest expression this month. Scores of them are shown in colors and in half-tone—an array to tempt and fascinate every woman who cares for her attire.

The Winter hats are here, too, both for those who buy and for those who trim their own.

In the personal beauty paper this month Dr. Murray considers the subject of dress in connection with "Her" beauty, and the question is treated as thoroughly and practically as are all in this notable series.

W. Jay Mills contributes a notable article on New York Society fifty years ago, illustrated by photographs, hitherto unpublished, of people who have made and are still making the history of our greatest city.

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Good Producer Is Struck in Calhoun County, W. Va.

At the Eastern Oil Company's No. 5 on the S. L. Klipstein farm, on Yellow creek, Calhoun county, the pay was reached at 18 feet in the Berea formation and the well produced 115 barrels the first 24 hours. It has not been shot and when touched up with the high explosive should increase its production.

In the Littleton district, Wetzel county, Stewart, Finnegan & Co. have drilled their test on the Amos Jolliffe farm into the Gordon pay and have shut down for a new cable and to erect tankage. The well produced 8 barrels the first five hours after it tapped the pay. It should improve with deeper drilling.

In the Pine Grove district the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 18 on the J. E. Shuman farm into the top of the Gordon and has developed some gas, but no oil. On the east side of the Folsom district, in Harrison county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 3 on the J. J. Ashcraft farm through the stray and into the top of the Gordon and has found no oil or gas.

On Maggoty run, Liberty district, Marshall county, the South Penn has given its No. 5 a new well on the J. B. Wayt farm, a 20-quart shot and it responded by producing 70 barrels the first 18 hours.

On the Ohio side, in Monroe county, the Troutman Drilling Company and others have drilled their test on the Barbara Sheets farm into the Keener sand and the well is spraying oil at the rate of 75 barrels a day. This well is a mile north of developments and as soon as it begins to show oil drilling was suspended to erect additional tankage and await pipe line connections.

In the Harper district, near Jerusalem, Monroe county, Treat & Crawford have drilled their test on the E. J. Gouge farm through the Keener sand and have a strong gasser in that formation.

In the shallow sand territory, on Wolf creek, Morgan county, the Pure Oil Producing Company has completed its No. 8 on the E. H. Palmer farm, and have a duster. In the same district the Hastings Oil Company and the South Petroleum Company have completed a test on the Joseph W. Thomas farm and have a duster. The Wolf Creek Oil Company has completed its No. 8 on the Priscilla Bay farm and has a duster. The same company has the rig completed for No. 9 on the same farm.

In the Limestone run district, in Jefferson county, E. H. Jennings & Bros. & Freudenberger have completed a test on the Pasco Bros. farm and have a duster. This test is nearly a half mile in advance of developments.

In the Scio field, Harrison county, the Carter Oil Company has completed a test on the H. Davidson farm and has a duster. The Trimmer Development Company has completed a test on the Wagner farm and has a very light pumper. In the same district the National Oil Company of Titusville has completed No. 15 on the Jane L. Clark farm and has a five-barrel pumper.

In the Marietta district, Washington county, the Collingwood Oil Company has completed a second test on the Washington county farm and has a duster.

At New Galilee, Beaver county, the Davis Oil Company has completed a test on the W. J. McClure farm and has a two-barrel pumper. In the same district the Luna Oil Company has completed a test on the H. K. Wilson farm and has a very light pumper.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
October 12	69,764	October 11	102,850
Prev. reported	848,907	Prev. reported	684,734
Total	918,671	Total	787,584
Daily average	76,554	Daily average	71,599

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
October 12	60,059	October 11	86,267
Prev. reported	687,724	Prev. reported	551,995
Total	747,783	Total	638,262
Daily average	62,315	Daily average	58,022

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 56; Tiona, $1 71; Corning, $1 33; New Castle, $1 43; North Lima, $1 05; South Lima, $1 00; Indiana, $1 05; Somerset, $1 01; Raglan, 60c; Canada, $1 54. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 56.

OIL CITY, Oct. 13.—Credit balances, $1 56; certificates, no bid; shipments, Pennsylvania, 64,894 barrels; average, 76,147 barrels; runs, 77,484 barrels; average, 69,293 barrels; shipments, Lima, 60,059 barrels; average, 62,315 barrels; runs, 86,267 barrels; average, 57,933 barrels.

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MANY MINISTERS WILL BE PRESENT

Synodical Gathering in Conjunction With Sesqui-Centennial of Oxford Church.

LEADING DIVINES ARE TO SPEAK

The program has been issued for the sesqui-centennial exercises at the meeting of the synod of Pennsylvania and Oxford next Thursday. The synod will be in session until October 26, and the largest attendance of commissioners in its history is expected. Next Wednesday evening will be devoted to a home missionary meeting, the Rev. Dr. C. C. Hays of Johnstown presiding. The principal address will be delivered by the Rev. Dr. Robert McKenzie of New York.

The synod will be formally opened on Thursday morning with a sermon by the Rev. Dr. George S. Chambers of Harrisburg, after which the Rev. Dr. J. Vernon Bell of DuBois will be elected moderator, and the synod will get down to business.

The meeting in favor of synodical sustentation and evangelization will be held Thursday night, when the addresses will be made by the Rev. Dr. John R. Davies of Philadelphia and the Rev. Dr. Samuel Black McCormick, the new chancellor of the Western university. The Rev. Dr. John F. Carson of Brooklyn will close the meeting with an address in the interest of the evangelization committee of the Presbyterian general assembly.

The Rev. Dr. L. W. Eckard of Easton will preside at a meeting on Friday night, when Secretary Robert E. Speer of New York will speak on foreign missions. On Saturday afternoon the synod will take an excursion to Lincoln university, six miles from Oxford.

On Sunday night the Rev. Dr. Robert Watson, pastor of the Oxford church, will deliver the historical sermon before the synod. On Monday the synod will adjourn, but an after-meeting will be held in the interest of "The Church and Education," with addresses by the Rev. Dr. Ethelbert Warfield, president of Lafayette college, and the Rev. Dr. James D. Moffat, president of Washington and Jefferson college.

The sesqui-centennial exercises of the church will continue until October 30 with addresses on suitable subjects by the Rev. Drs. E. T. Jeffries of York, J. Addison Henry of Philadelphia, William H. Roberts of Philadelphia, P. B. Hodge of Wilkesbarre, Orr Lawson of Iowa, M. W. Jacobus of Hartford, Conn.; Hugh L. Hodge of Erie and a dozen others. No Pittsburgh commissioner has a place on the program. The Western Pennsylvania commissioners to synod will leave for Oxford next Wednesday morning.

M. & M. HAS NOT ABANDONED EFFORTS FOR B. & O. OFFICES

Oscar G. Murray's Return from Europe Followed by Campaign to Keep Headquarters in Maryland.

On the eve of their invasion of the trade centers of southern Ohio the members of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association of Pittsburgh have not lost sight of their efforts to secure a part of the general executive offices of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for this city. The return of Oscar G. Murray, president of the Baltimore & Ohio, from Europe is hailed in Baltimore as the inauguration of a rejuvenated policy on the big railroad system, and the newspapers of that city have renewed their efforts for the permanent location of all the offices there in a building to replace the fine structure which was destroyed in the great fire last February.

"I am glad that Mr. Murray has returned to his post," said Manager James W. Wardrop of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, yesterday. "Mr. Murray will give Pittsburgh a fair hearing and everybody knows that Pittsburgh does not want to antagonize Baltimore. We are proud of our sister city down on the Chesapeake, and we don't want to lift the rails and the cross ties of the Baltimore & Ohio from Maryland soil. We want Mr. Murray's company to do that which will best further its own interests, and we sincerely think that it can do justice to itself, to Baltimore and to everybody concerned by locating its general offices here at a convenient part of its system, instead of its eastern terminus. Pittsburgh has the tonnage, the capital and the enterprise on top of a magnificent territory near at hand, only waiting characteristic Baltimore & Ohio enterprise to develop it.

"We shall preach this gospel in Ohio and everywhere. It will be a fascinating message out there just as it is in West Virginia. There are many arguments to be offered in behalf of Pittsburgh in the Baltimore & Ohio proposition, some of which have been spread abroad and others are just now suggesting themselves."

THE THREE RIVERS

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening was 4.3 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and cool. Today's departures were: Katie Mac, Portsmouth; Levi J. Workum, Madison; Courier, Louisville. The packets are not arriving on time on account of the low water and fog. Repairs on the boats which were laid up on account of the slack water have been finished.

LOUISVILLE, KY.—River stationary. In canal, 2.6 feet; on falls, .4 feet; below locks, 3.7 feet. Clear and cool.

GREENSBORO—River 6 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and cool. Woodward down Friday and Columbia up.

PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—River 3.3 feet and rising. Weather cloudy and cold. The Bessie Smith left at 4 a. m. for Wheeling.

PT. PLEASANT, W. VA.—River 1 foot 7 inches and rising. Weather cloudy and cool.

WARREN, PA.—River 1 foot 9 inches. Weather cloudy and cool.

GALLIPOLIS, O.—River 2 feet 9 inches; rising. Cloudy and cool.

MORGANTOWN, W. VA.—River 6 feet and stationary. Weather cloudy and cool.

OIL CITY, PA.—River 2 feet and rising. Weather clear and cool.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—River 2 feet 8 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy and cool.

RIVERMEN DISAPPOINTED.

Regret the Weather Man Furnished no Water for the Merrill Dam Opening.

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 2.9 feet and the river was stationary.

Rivermen are much disappointed that no water is available for the trip to the opening of the Merrill dam at Rochester tomorrow. The officials at the local weather station give no promise of enough water to take the big towboats lying in the local harbor to Merrill. Early in the week rains and a slight rise in the upper Allegheny gave room to hope that a big river parade would be a part of the celebration.

The Boaz and Enterprise are the only big boats which will take part. They are lying in the Merrill pool. The Boaz will be the flagship. A number of small boats which can get over the river so long as the bottom is wet, will run down and a procession will be formed for the day, but it cannot be the great event anticipated earlier. The speakers for the occasion have been announced. They will be Col. John L. Vance, president of the Ohio River Improvement association; James Francis Burke of this city, and R. C. Wells of East Liverpool.

The Pittsburgh & Cincinnati Packet Company is getting its fleet of boats in readiness for the opening of the rivers. Contrary to the report given out several days ago, the Keystone State is not off the ways at Cincinnati. The water is so low there that her launching has been deferred. She has been entirely overhauled and repainted inside and out, and will look like a new boat.

The Virginia has been repainted outside and generally overhauled. The Queen City is now at Memphis, in the Memphis and Arkansas City trade. As soon as the river rises here she will be brought up and will enter this trade. She will be repainted at Cincinnati. The Hudson will be the extra boat and will lie at Cincinnati.

The firm engaged in raising the Mayflower has built the bulkhead in the hull and will begin pumping her out in a day or two. It is thought she will be on her way to the docks next week.

Excursion to Wheeling Every Sunday
Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner of Smithfield and Water streets, 8:40 a. m.; returning leaves Wheeling 5:40 p. m. Fare, $1.50 round trip.

$3.00 to Rhododendron Park and Return Saturday, October 15.

Train leaves Union station 8:05 a. m., tickets good to return until Monday, 17th, and good to stop off at Altoona on the return trip.

THINKS CRISIS IS IMPENDING

Summer Playgrounds and Vacation Schools Are Facing a Serious Condition.

OFFICERS SUBMIT REPORTS

A crisis has been reached in the work of the summer playgrounds and vacation schools. It was defined by the chairman of the Joint Committee of Women's clubs, Miss Beulah Kennard, when she made her address at the annual meeting of the joint committee yesterday afternoon in the Twentieth Century club. This crisis, she stated, has been brought about by the growth of the playground and vacation school work in Pittsburgh and Allegheny, which are conducted under the direction of the joint committee composed of members from the different women's clubs of the two cities.

Both cities make contributions to the work, the Central board of education of Pittsburgh having appropriated $3,500 this year, and the board of controllers of Allegheny $1,500. The playgrounds work, Miss Kennard said, cannot be conducted under the same system in the two cities, in Pittsburgh the need of some forms of manual training and industrial work being of great importance. On the contrary in Allegheny, where playgrounds have been established, there are flourishing manual training schools conducted during the school year, which the officials of Allegheny consider as doing away with the need of industrial work, special stress being laid on the work of the playgrounds on the North Side.

On the motion of Miss Eliza Armstrong, Miss Kennard appointed a committee of five, consisting of Miss Armstrong, chairman; Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, Miss Willard, Mrs. William McCarthy and Miss Marie Stoner, to take the matter into consideration. The summer playgrounds and vacation school work in Pittsburgh has passed through two crises. The third is said to be the result of the different needs of the children in the different parts of the two cities.

At the annual meeting of the joint committee yesterday the former officers were all re-elected. They include Miss Beulah Kennard, general chairman; Mrs. J. J. Covert, sub-chairman for Pittsburgh; Mrs. John Cowley, sub-chairman for Allegheny; Miss Eliza D. Armstrong, sub-chairman for the South Side; Miss Jeanie D. Bradley, secretary; Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, treasurer.

During the past summer 20 playgrounds and schools were conducted by the joint committee in which nearly 6,000 children were enrolled. The Washington park was opened for the first time, while in the South Side recreation park there was an average daily attendance of almost 700 children, on several days the number present being 1,500. Nine hundred ball games have been played there this season and the work in that district is without doubt the most successful in the two cities.

The treasurer, Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, reported expenditures for the 10 Pittsburgh playgrounds and vacation schools, $7,869 69; expenditures for the eight Allegheny playgrounds, $10,277 79; expenditures for South Side and Washington park recreation grounds, by special contributions through the general fund, $56 64, making a total of expenditures paid through the general fund of the joint committee, $10,330 15.

Pittsburgh councils appropriated $6,000 for the two recreation parks of which the joint committee expended $3,158 17 for Washington park for permanent improvements and other expenses, and $2,158 16 for the South Side park, leaving a balance of $83 67 for October and November expenses.

The treasurer's books yesterday showed a deficit of over $200. The salaries of teachers and janitors for the Pittsburgh playgrounds and schools amounted to $5,861 25, with supplies costing $1,941 94. The salaries in Allegheny were $1,778 50, the supplies being $380 15.

BOTH PARKER AND GORMAN PLEASED WITH CAMPAIGN

Exchange Felicitations—The Presidential Candidate Pays His First Visit to National Headquarters.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—What is regarded as the most significant conference held during Judge Parker's last visit to New York was that with Senator Gorman of Maryland today. It became known that the candidate and the senator are in thorough accord regarding the conduct of the campaign and that everything that has been done is regarded by both as tending toward success. Felicitations were exchanged over the successful efforts that have been made to harmonize all leaders and factions in the party, and the fact that nearly four weeks before the election all Democrats and factions were working together was regarded, they declared, as reason for gratification.

The work of the campaign, it is now understood, is to be pushed with undiminished vigor, and the closing weeks are to equal all past campaigns in the matter of speaking, processions and meetings which will arouse the voters.

Judge Parker visited national headquarters for the first time this morning, and expressed gratification at seeing everybody there at work so early in the day. He returned to Esopus this evening, but expects to come to New York again Tuesday.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Judge Parker arrived in Esopus tonight at 10 o'clock. He conferred with former Senator J. K. Jones of Arkansas, en route from the West Forty-second street station of the West Shore railroad in New York, across the ferry to Weehawken, where both took dinner. Senator Jones returned to New York.

TWO REVOLTS BREWING.

Hayti and San Domingo Presidents Both Troubled With Outbreaks.

CAPE HAITIEN, HAITI, Oct. 13.—(Associated Press Cable.)—The revolution in the republic of Santo Domingo is extending. Azua de Compostela (near the south coast) and all the department of the south have declared in favor of Isadora Jemes.

The Haitien exiles have gathered near the frontier, preparing to re-enter Haiti and attempt an insurrection against President Nord, in favor of Gen. Firmin, leader of the insurrection of 1902. The government is taking energetic measures to meet the situation. The town of Cape Haitien has been placed under martial law.

NERVES ON EDGE!

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OCTOBER
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SOCIETY

THE engagement of Miss Harriet A. Dick, daughter of Col. Samuel B. Dick of Meadville, Pa., and Joseph McKnight Speer of Pittsburgh, was announced yesterday. Mr. Speer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Speer of Dallas avenue and a brother of Mrs. George M. Laughlin, Jr., of Woodland road, and of Mrs. William H. Mercur of Fifth avenue, Shadyside. Miss Harriet Dick is well known in Pittsburgh and Allegheny. She is a Farmington girl and has frequently visited Mrs. David A. Stewart of Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, and Miss Leila Laughlin, whose guest she was a few months ago. Miss Laughlin gave a handsome luncheon for her in the Pittsburgh Golf club house last spring.

Club Women Write Verses and Music.

The celebration of president's day by Pittsburgh Sorosis yesterday afternoon was unique among similar events this season. It brought forward the members of the club as writers of verses and of music. A pretty captivating waltz written by Mrs. Dallas Albert and dedicated to Sorosis, was played by Mr. Jores, organist of the Third Presbyterian church. Mrs. Albert also wrote the verses to a song, June Roses, sung by Mr. Hibbard. Two original poems were read by Miss Madden, one being written by Mrs. George Porter. It was entitled "On Club Women," and dedicated to Miss MacKnight. The other was by Mrs. Minnie Curey Roberts, who has contributed several original poems to the club's program. Miss MacKnight, who was present, made a short address on club women, apropos the poems. The reception was a large one, many of the friends of the club members and the presidents of other women's clubs being in attendance. The affair was conducted in the parlors of the Schenley and the music was an exceptionally fine feature of the program for the afternoon, being presented under the direction of Mr. Jores. Several songs were sung by Mrs. J. F. Steel and Mrs. Vida McCullough McClure yesterday afternoon Sorosis elected Mrs. Minnie O. Roberts as its delegate to the meeting of the State Federation in Lancaster. Mrs. George Porter will be her alternate.

A Quiet Home Wedding.

The engagement of Miss Laura Christian Kelly, daughter of Mrs. Annie M. Kelly of South Highland avenue, and William Hagan Fawcett, which was announced a short time ago, will terminate in a quiet home wedding on Monday and the only attendants will be the maid of honor, Miss Annie Kelly, a sister of the bride-elect, and the best man, Edwin Fawcett, a brother of the bridegroom. John Z. Kelly will give his sister away. After their wedding trip Mr. Fawcett and his bride will make their home for the winter with Mrs. Kelly. They expect to go to housekeeping in the spring. Miss Kelly is the eldest daughter of the late John M. Kelly, who at one time published the Daily Live Stock Journal in this city, and also compiled the John M. Kelly's Hand Book of Pittsburgh. Mr. Fawcett is a son of James T. Fawcett and is identified with the Peoples National bank of Pittsburgh.

Gone Back to Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ernest Merrill, who have been visiting Mrs. Merrill's parents, Capt. and Mrs. D. C. Orcutt in Hastings street, East End, left last evening for their home in Annapolis. Mrs. Merrill, with her children, has been in Pittsburgh seven weeks and was joined the first of last week by her husband. Together they went on to the St. Louis exposition, returning to Pittsburgh yesterday morning. Mrs. Merrill was Miss Lulu Belle Orcutt before her marriage five years ago. Mr. Merrill is a graduate of the Boston School of Technology and was for a few years located in Pittsburgh. Five years ago he went to Annapolis, where he has been engaged in the construction of the new building which the government has been erecting for the Naval academy at a cost of more than $1,000,000.

Mrs. Jarley in the East End.

Mrs. George A. Gormly, assisted by the young people of the Point Breeze Presbyterian church, gave a successful exhibition of Mrs. Jarley's wax works last evening in the East Liberty academy. The entertainment was given for the benefit of the church. Among those who took part were Miss Elsie McCutcheon, Miss Louise McCutcheon, Miss Jane Lloyd, the Misses Thomas, Miss Jane Peebles, Miss Marie Blackmore, Miss Janet Harmount, Miss Edith Gray, Miss Lucy Connell, Miss Edith Speer, Miss Agnes Irvine, Mrs. Charles Wooldridge, Chester McConnell, Frank Berger, Ward Wooldridge, Julian Wooldridge, Joseph Thomas, Joseph Speer and Harry Pears. Mrs. Jarley's two assistants were James McCutcheon and Fred McCutcheon.

Dinner for Woodrow Wilson.

The most successful concert ever given at the Country club took place last evening, Thursday being the regular band night. Over 200 guests were present. All the seats in the dining room were occupied early in the evening, and later the tables were covered for a second time. Among the dinners given was one at which Edward A. Woods was host in honor of President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton university. A. M. McCrea and Grant McCargo also had small parties of friends at the club for dinner. The majority of the guests remained for the after-dinner dance, for which the dining room was cleared.

A Hallowe'en Cotillion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Linford Smith are sending out invitations for a large Hallowe'en cotillion on Friday evening, October 28, in the Country club in Squirrel Hill. The affair will be large, with unique decorations suggestive of the season. This will be the first large entertainment which Mr. and Mrs. Smith have given since their return from their trip around the world.

To Wed at Jeannette.

GREENSBURG, PA., Oct. 13.—Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Ella Albitz and Harry Smith, both of Jeannette, at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, October 19. The ceremony will be a quiet home affair, and will be performed by the Rev. Luther D. Reed, pastor of the Holy Trinity church. Miss Margaretta Bennett will be maid of honor, and Dr. M. J. Freshwater will be the best man.

Fifty Years Wedded.

SHARON, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. Michael Steindurf celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at West Middlesex yesterday. Mr. Steindurf is 78 years old and his wife 66. They have lived in West Middlesex nearly all their lives. They have four children living, Robert, Springfield, Mass.; Mrs. Charles Shannon, Deerfield, O.; James of Sharon, and Mrs. James Campbell of West Middlesex.

McCurdy-Dennis.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Oct. 13.—An important event socially was the wedding last night of Miss Sarah McCurdy, daughter of Mrs. R. W. McCurdy, and Lawrence G. Dennis of this city at the Wesley Methodist church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. R. F. Randolph, presiding elder of the New Castle district.

Former Acquaintances Renewed.

Gen. J. W. Reilly and Mrs. Reilly are visiting Mrs. James P. Orr, Mrs. Reilly's sister, at Oakmont. At one time the Allegheny arsenal was commanded by Maj., now Gen. Reilly, and while living in Pittsburgh the soldier and his wife made many friends. Now on their return, after a number of years, they are renewing these former acquaintances and meeting old friends again.

Mrs. Dickson's Luncheon.

The luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. James Dickson of South Highland avenue was a small but daintily appointed affair at the Duquesne club. The guest of honor was Mrs. Clarence Beville of Hollywood, California, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Palmer Pears of the East End.

Guests in the City.

Dr. and Mrs. John Fremont Shafer of South Negley avenue are entertaining as their house guests Mrs. M. E. Shaw and Mrs. Charles Hills, both of Cleveland. Both women came to Pittsburgh last Saturday with Mrs. Shafer, who returned from her summer outing to Clifton Park, near Cleveland. The journey home was made in Dr. Shafer's automobile.

Annual Reception Days.

The annual reception and donation day for St. John's General hospital will be observed at the hospital in McClure avenue, Allegheny, on Thursday, October 27, from 1 until 10 o'clock. The Passavant hospital yesterday observed its annual donation day, all those interested in the institution being received between the hours of 2 and 5 in the afternoon and 7 and 9 in the evening. There was a very large attendance and many donations were received.

Visitors at the Clinton Fair.

In addition to the members of the Harkaway Hunt club who coached down to the Clinton fair yesterday, there were a number of guests from the Sewickley valley. Among the latter were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyon, Mr. and Mrs. William P. Snyder, Henry Irwin, Wilson Porter, Mr. and Mrs. John Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Way and Miss Jane Norris.

Wedded in Carnot.

At the home of the bride's parents, Carnot, Pa., on Wednesday, by the Rev. J. D. Campbell of Allegheny, occurred the marriage of Miss Mary Todd, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, to Charles Willis Foster of Woodlawn, Pa.

NOTES OF SOCIETY.

Captain and Mrs. Hicks of Baum and Graham streets are at St. Louis for a 10-day trip.

Mrs. S. A. Will of Junilla street has returned home after a four weeks' visit to St. Louis and Chicago.

The Rev. Charles Dalzell of Allegheny will give an illustrated lecture on Palestine at the Greenfield Presbyterian church this evening.

A new club was organized Wednesday evening at the home of W. E. Motheral, Morrison avenue, Allegheny, and the following officers elected: President, Boyd Rodgers; first vice president, George Gunn; second vice president, R. K. Bigalow; secretary, Edward W. Simon; treasurer, Homer Hoffmann.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Daniel H. Brown	Sheradenville
Leolie M. Jeffrey	Sheradenville
George V. McCall	McKeesport
Lydia B. Harris	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Clarence VanDyke Tiers	Oakmont
Alice K. Paul	Oakmont
Reuben Wheeler	McKees Rocks
Hannah Williams	Pittsburgh
John W. Bolster	Allegheny
Elizabeth Berkley	Allegheny
Robert Johnson	Sewickley
Estella Russell	Sewickley
Charles S. Sproull	Pittsburgh
Amy P. Brown	Pittsburgh
John O'Day	Pittsburgh
Kate Shea	Pittsburgh
Emry Gazodag	Fleming Park
Esther Barta	Fleming Park

HOW MANY HATS MUST WIFE HAVE?

Problem Rivaling Solomon's for a Chicago Judge to Decide.

SERIOUS PLAINT OF A WOMAN

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Mrs. Emma H. Schmidt of this city has risen on behalf of her downtrodden sisterhood and applied to Judge Brentano to decide the question of how few hats a man may dole out to his faithful consort and yet dodge the divorce limit. Mrs. Schmidt, who is fair to look upon, appeared in court wearing an old felt contrivance that had been pushed and battered and beaten into divers shapes to meet the caprice of fashion. Tearfully she told his honor that her husband had bought her but four hats in 11 years, and none of these were stylish or costly hats. This was at the rate of one hat every 33 months.

Schmidt, in his own defense, said his wife had grossly misrepresented the situation. He was quite sure she had had during the 11 years as many as seven hats. Pressed closely, he admitted that some of them might have been old hats done over, and then he sprang a grand coup by the announcement that his wife was not only proud, but contrary, and liked to have her own way. He complained that every year or so his wife would distract his attention from business and give him much annoyance by her foolish drivel over a new hat. When forbearance ceased to be a virtue he would give her a dollar to be done with the subject.

Judge Brentano announced that he would have to hold the case under consideration, inasmuch as questions of grave importance to men and wives were involved in the decision.

KING'S BROTHER IN AUTOMOBILE SMASHUP

Duke of Connaught Is Thrown from Machine and Received Severe Injuries.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

EDINBURGH, Oct. 13.—The duke of Connaught, brother of King Edward, while driving in a motor car from Edinburgh to Gosford house, the seat of the earl of Wemyss, had a narrow escape from death in an automobile wreck.

The automobile in which the duke was riding with his aide-de-camp, Maj. Murray, in passing a street car collided with a cart. The overhanging portion of the car struck the rear seat of the automobile and literally carried away that section of the vehicle. The duke was thrown out with great force. As soon as the automobile could be stopped Maj. Murray went to the aid of the duke, whom he found unconscious and bleeding from wounds about the head.

A second automobile, carrying members of the duke's suite, came up and the duke was taken back to Edinburgh in it. By the time the automobile reached Edinburgh the duke had recovered and was able to walk into his hotel. After two stitches were taken in his ear and his hurts had been examined by physicians it was announced that he would suffer no serious consequences, but had received a severe shaking up and shock.

Christian Church Delegates Leave.

Local delegates to the national convention of Christain churches, which opens in St. Louis today, left yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock over the Pennsylvania railroad. The party consisted of 50 members of the local congregations and was headed by the Revs. Wallace Tharp, C. L. Thurgood, W. J. Russell, O. H. Phillips and E. W. Thornton. The convention will be in session one week.

ENDS LIFE OVER HIS OLD FAILURE

Edmund Burke, an Aged Resident of Chicago, Puts Bullet in His Brain.

DEED CAUSES MUCH REGRET

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Edmund Burke, an old North Side resident, reputed a millionaire, after brooding for 22 years over the troubles that led to his retirement from business in 1882, died by his own hand at the residence of his son, No. 3 Tower place, early Tuesday morning. News of the fact that Mr. Burke was self-slain did not reach the astonished friends until the funeral plans were made known today. A revolver shot in the brain put an end to the mental suffering that for the past 22 years had become so acute that the veteran merchant had been for periods mentally irresponsible.

The family naturally made no public announcement of the tragic death of its head, and, although what is claimed to have been an oversight in the coroner's office, Deputy Coroner Gahan did not enter the report in the regular manner, and it was not until this morning that the true story of the death was given to the public.

Among those who are familiar with Chicago's early mercantile history the announcement caused profound regret, for the deceased has been a resident of the city for the past 38 years and was prominently associated with some of the earliest commercial enterprises. He made a large fortune in the boot and shoe business, and while in the early eighties he met with some reverses, he allowed these to prey upon his mind to an unnecessary extent.

Born in Conway, Mass., in 1838, the late Mr. Burke was, during his earlier years, a schoolmate of Marshall Field. After receiving a grammar school education he removed to New York, where he began his mercantile career. In 1856 he came west and located in Chicago. The wholesale boot and shoe business attracted his attention, and so successful were his operations that he soon became one of the foremost men in the trade. Reverses in 1882 so discouraged him that his health was seriously affected, and for some years he traveled in Europe in the hope of recovering his former activity. This was denied him, and for the past few years he has been living with his family, either in Chicago or at a sumer home in Michigan.

Want to Be in Parade.

The committee for the East End Hallowe'en celebration met last night and decided upon arrangements for the parade. The committee on parade reported that applications had been received from nearly all the East End business men asking for places in line for floats.

Injured by Gas Explosion.

Frank Wenzel of 115 Pius street, South Side, was burned in an explosion of natural gas, which took place in his father's grocery store yesterday morning. He is at the St. Joseph's hospital.

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OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

Office of City Clerks,
City of Allegheny, Pa., Sept. 29, 1904.

Notice is hereby given that the following ordinance was presented at a meeting of select council of the city of Allegheny, on the 28th day of September, 1904, and was referred to committee on public works.

LAFAYETTE WILLS,
City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing and ordering the grading and paving of an unnamed 10-foot alley ninety feet north of Cabinet street, Fifth ward, from Bidwell street to an unnamed 15-foot alley, and providing for assessment and collection of the cost and expense thereof.

Section 1—Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grading and paving of an unnamed ten (10) foot alley ninety (90) feet north of Cabinet street, Fifth ward, from Bidwell street to an unnamed fifteen (15) foot alley, is hereby authorized and ordered, and the director of the department of public works is hereby instructed to prepare specifications therefor, and the mayor and the said director are authorized to advertise for proposals for doing said work in accordance with such specifications, and award the contract therefor according to the provisions of the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

The cost and expense of said improvement to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pertaining thereto and regulating the same.

Section 2—That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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East End.

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Allegheny.

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Allegheny.

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Send for list.
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To let—830 Inwood street, six rooms, $18 per month.
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Three desirable rooms on sixth floor; prompt possession.
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Has been the object in view in the construction of the Knickerbocker apartments, 712-714 East Diamond st., Allegheny. These bachelor apartments were designed to afford luxurious comfort at small cost, to men, especially young men, who are rooming in the city. Each apartment is designed to accommodate one to four men and the rent includes all necessary expense—steam heat, electric light, complete furnishment, bed linen, towels, chambermaid service, elevator service day and night. Rent $35 to $50 a month.
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COLLINS AVENUE APARTMENTS.
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Storeroom and dwelling of nine rooms, all modern conveniences; good corner location; newly painted and papered; new sidewalks around house; good location for general store or drug store.
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In Bellevue, one-half square from car line, flat of 4 rooms, bath and all conveniences; rooms completely furnished and on the first floor for only $30 per month.
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New rooms furnished complete, including janitor service.
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FOR SALE.

Allegheny Residences.

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For a small farm from 9 to 15 acres, with good house and other necessary outbuildings; price not to exceed $3,000; Pittsburgh & Western or West Penn railroad preferred, and not over 25 miles from the city.
A frame house of six large rooms, attic, bath, furnace, range in kitchen; lot 38x150x51; price $4,000. Will accept mortgage for difference. House is located in Bellevue, Allegheny Co., Pa. For further information address lock box 42, Bellevue, Pa.

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FOR RENT OR FOR SALE.
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Near Allegheny ave., brick house 9 rooms, bathroom, side entrance, large lot; $35 per month.
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U. S. STEEL SECURITIES REACH NEW HIGH PRICES

Traction Stocks Were Also Strong—Volume of Trading Smaller—Pittsburgh Coal Preferred the Strongest Local Feature.

By JOHN O. EAGLIN, Financial Editor.

United States Steel securities resumed the leadership of the New York stock market yesterday, and prices advanced to the highest for more than a year. There was also a display of strength in the tractions, which carried Brooklyn Rapid Transit to the highest price of the year. The volume of trading, however, was the smallest for any day of the week, and there was considerable irregularity in the course of the high-grade railroad stocks, although the range of fluctuations was narrow. London was a large seller, disposing of about 40,000 shares American securities, but the latter were well taken.

The strength of the United States Steel issues was the real feature of the market. The common advanced to 19¼ and held firm. The preferred jumped to 78 on large transactions, and the urgency of the buying was construed as reflecting the anxiety of the shorts. The advance in the bonds to 80½ attracted much attention and seemed to be easily accomplished. One of the bullish influences was the report of pig iron production for September, showing an increase of 185,000 tons over the August output and an increase of 246,000 tons over July. At the same time there was a decrease in furnace stocks of 75,000 tons. These figures indicate a healthy condition of the trade. They were fortified by reports made in Pittsburgh during the day as to the scarcity of iron offering for next years delivery. A straw pointing in the same direction has been the absence of offerings of pig iron warrants on the Pittsburgh exchange. The advance in United States Steel helped all the minor iron and steel stocks, but the principal activity was in American Car & Foundry and Pressed Steel Car, all issues of which advanced to the highest prices of the year. Amalgamated Copper and Sugar were firm, and Peoples Gas reached a new high record for the year. The industrial group of stocks generally closed higher for the day. Brooklyn Rapid Transit advanced to 65 and closed at a net gain of 3½ per cent. Metropolitan Securities closed 1⅜ per cent higher and Metropolitan Street Railway 1¼ higher.

There were no special features to the railroad list, and closing prices were unchanged to ¼ per cent lower for the day. The street continued to lay stress upon the entrance of additional Rockefeller interests into the Union Pacific board, and some interesting theories were worked out, going to show that the transcontinental railroad situation was taking shape that would insure harmony, no matter what the final outcome of the Northern Securities case.

At the close of the market sentiment may be said to have been still bullish as to the future, and yet Wall street cannot entirely ignore some questions that become more insistent the further the advance goes. These questions are: How will the bull cliques unload? Who will buy the stocks at higher prices? The most answer is that the public will buy them. There is no denying that public interest in the market is increasing, but traders are more than ordinarily cautious. They run quickly, and although there have been million-share days which furnished the opportunity to unload large blocks of stocks, still it has been constantly apparent that support was necessary to prevent sharp reactions, and it has looked as though the manipulators were required to take back as much stock as they had distributed.

Much interest was felt in the weekly statements of the two principal foreign government banks which appeared yesterday, because of the action of the German bank on Tuesday. Changes in the various items, however, were not large. The bank of England reported a decrease in loans of only $1,500,000 and a decrease in reserve of $2,920,000, while the percentage of reserve to liability increased to 54.90 per cent. The Bank of France reported a decrease of $2,150,000 in gold and an increase of $1,750,000 in loans. In New York call loans were quoted at 1¾ to 2 per cent.

Coal and Steel stocks furnished the bulk of the business on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday. The continued strength of Pittsburgh Coal preferred, which made a new high record by advancing to 71½, was the feature of the market. The stock closed strong at the top. The common was neglected, a small lot changing hands at 15¼, and the market closing at 15⅞ bid. United States Steel preferred did not sell here above 77¾, but closed strong at 77⅞ bid. Crucible Steel preferred declined to 41 in the early dealings, but recovered to 42. The common sold at the uniform price of 6⅞, and that was bid for 1,000 shares at the close. National Fire Proofing developed some weakness late in the day, and it was surmised that this was based upon doubts as to the dividend, but an hour after the close of the market the directors declared the regular rate. The common stock held steady and unchanged at 9¼. Harbison-Walker common and preferred were strong and higher in the bid price, the preferred after selling at 35 advancing to 56½ bid at the close. Ohio Fuel Supply rallied to 40, while Manufacturers Light and Heat declined to 58¾. Philadelphia Company preferred advanced to 46 bid, but no stock changed hands. Westinghouse Electric remained unchanged, but a small lot of Air Brake sold at 131, a decline of $2 from the last previous sale.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

25 Fire P. pfd....	33	10 Pgh. Coal pfd.	70½
20 do....	33	5 do....	70½
25 do....	33	275 do....	70½
30 do....	33	10 do....	70⅝
$1000 R. Coal 6s	108	25 do....	70½
$1000 do....	108	90 do....	70½
50 Luster	15	10 do....	70½
50 U. S. Steel pfd.	78¾	10 do....	70½
50 Ohio Fuel....	40	25 Brewing pfd.	45
25 H.-W.R. pfd.	56	$17.50 P.Coal.d.sc.	103½
25 M. L. & H.	39	$3.50 do....	103½
50 do....	39		

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

200 U. S. St'l pfd.	76¾	50 Pgh. Coal pfd.	71¼
50 do....	76⅞	20 do....	71⅜
100 do....	77¼	10 do....	71½
20 do....	77¼	25 do....	71½
300 Crucible pfd.	41	50 do....	71½
35 do....	41	10 do....	71⅝
10 do....	41	40 do....	71⅝
10 do....	41⅜	50 Brewing	24⅜
25 do....	41⅞	6 W. Airbrake	131
$8000 R. Coal 6s	108	10 Sewer Pipe	21¼
25 P. Coal pfd.	70½	100 Ohio Fuel	40
24 do....	70½	3 Cons. Tr. pfd.	60
7 do....	70⅝	15 Pgh. Coal	15½
50 do....	71	1 do....	15⅝
50 do....	71	22 M. L. & H.	38⅝
100 do....	71	20 Electric 2ds.	83¼
80 do....	71	2 do....	83¼
5 do....	71	50 do....	83
5 do....	71	10 Brewing pfd.	44⅞
20 do....	71		

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

2 Pgh. Coal pfd.	71	12 U. S. St'l pfd.	77⅛
210 do....	71	100 Crucible pfd.	41¼
15 do....	71	50 do....	41⅜
13 do....	71¼	40 do....	41⅞
25 do....	71¼	10 do....	41⅞
12 do....	71¼	50 do....	41⅞
75 do....	71¼	50 do....	41⅞
25 do....	71	20 do....	42
25 do....	71	50 Sewer Pipe	21¼
25 do....	71	50 Fire Proofing	9¼
25 do....	71	100 do....	9¼
10 do....	71	50 do....	9¼
10 Brewing	24⅜	100 Electric 2ds.	83¼
25 do....	24⅜	33 Ohio Fuel	40
50 P. Proof. pfd.	32½	20 do....	40
15 do....	32½	50 do....	40
50 U. S. St'l pfd.	77⅛		

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

300 Crucible	42⅛	15 Crucible	42⅛
65 do....	42¼	4 Pgh. Coal pfd.	71½
5 do....	42⅛		

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

10 Luster	15½	20 M. L. & H.	38¾
100 Fire P. pfd.	31½	5 Fire Proofing	9¼
100 do....	31¾	100 Pgh. Coal pfd.	71¼
100 do....	31¾	20 do....	71½
50 Pgh. Coal pfd.	71		

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Change.
85 Brewing com.	24⅜	24⅛	24⅞	+⅛
35 Do pfd.	45	44⅞	44⅞	−⅛
2 Con. Trac. pfd.	60	60	60	0
285 Crucible Steel.	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	0
100 Do pfd.	42	41	42	−⅛
205 Fireproof. com.	9¼	9¼	9¼	0
465 Do pfd.	32	31⅝	31¾	−1⅛
25 H.-W. Bref. pf	55	55	55	+4
80 Luster	15⅜	15	15⅛	+⅛
117 M. L. & H.	39	38¾	38⅝	−⅛
253 Ohio Fuel	40	40	40	+⅛
16 Pgh. Coal	15⅛	15½	15½	−⅛
1636 Do pfd.	71½	70½	71¼	+⅛
60 Sewer Pipe	21¼	21¼	21¼	0
50 U. S. Steel	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	0
432 Do pfd.	77⅛	76⅞	77½	+⅛
6 W. Airbrake	131	131	131	−2
152 W. Elec. 2ds	83¼	83	83¼	0
4686				
BONDS.				
$8000 River Coal 6s	108	108	108	0
SCRIP.				
$21 P. Coal pf. div.	103½	103½	103¾	−⅛

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Manufacturers Light & Heat	$ 50	58¾	59⅛
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	39½	...
Peoples Pipage	25	23½	...
Luster Mining	10	15⅜	15½
Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.	50	25½	...
Westinghouse Elec. 2d pfd.	50	83	83½
Consolidated Ice	50	5⅜	6½
Crucible Steel	100	6⅞	...
Do preferred	100	41¾	41⅞
Harbison-Walker Co	100	6	...
Do preferred	100	56½	...
Monongahela River Coal	50	8	8⅜
Do preferred	50	23½	23⅝
Monongahela Water	25	36	...
Mareden	100	3½	4
National Fireproofing	50	9	9¼
Do preferred	50	31¾	31⅞
Philadelphia Co	50	42⅞	...
Do preferred	50	46	46½
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24½	24⅝
Do preferred	50	44⅝	...
Pittsburgh Coal	100	15⅞	16
Do preferred	100	71½	71⅝
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	116½	...
Pittsburgh Stove & Range	50	5	...
Do preferred	50	...	18½
Standard Underground Cable	100	...	100
Union Switch & Signal	50	...	70
United States Glass	100	47	50
United States Steel	100	...	19⅛
Do preferred	100	77⅜	78
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	130	134
Monongahela Incline	50	62	...
American Sewer Pipe	100	21⅛	21¼
BONDS.			
B., K. & A. Traction 6s		115	...
P., A. & M. Traction 5s		111½	...
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s			100
Pittsburgh-Buffalo 5s		101⅜	102½
American Sewer Pipe 6s		97½	98
PIG IRON WARRANTS.			
Class D—Nov. delivery		12.85	...

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The rather sudden weakening in National Fire Proofing preferred late in the day, the stock selling down to 31⅜ and closing offered at that price, was construed as foreshadowing some unfavorable action on the quarterly dividend. An hour after the market closed doubt on the subject was removed by the directors declaring the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent, payable October 25 to stock of record October 18. So far as known there was never any real ground for uncertainty regarding the dividend, but earlier in the week the sale of the dividend on 100 shares at 75 cents a share when the regular rate is 87½ cents, caused some uneasiness. The strength in Harbison-Walker Refractories, which advanced to 6 bid for the common and to 56½ bid for the preferred, was thought to reflect improving business conditions, in which National Fire Proofing should also share.

An official of Pittsburgh Coal says there is no doubt of improvement in business conditions. The demand is well maintained and there is more of a disposition to provide for future requirements.

A sale of Pittsburgh Oil and Gas was reported at 68½, a decline of ½ per cent.

A correspondent writes to know whether the "beneficial certificates" issued by the Pittsburgh Coal Company in exchange for a controlling interest in the stock of the River Coal Company should not be worth par, less a liberal discount for prepayment, and why these certificates have never been quoted on the exchange. In payment of the 300,000 shares River common at 815 & share the Pittsburgh Coal Company gave three notes of $1,500,000 each, payable in three equal annual installments, but without interest. The first installment of $1,500,000 falls due the 3d of next month and will no doubt be paid on that date. The two remaining installments fall due on November 3, 1905, and November 3, 1906. A much longer and indefinite period will be required to liquidate 30 per cent of the certificates given for the 50,000 shares preferred stock, because this is based upon the amount of coal taken from the River Coal Company's mines, 8 cents for each ton mined being set aside for this purpose. The purchase price of the preferred was $48 a share, and $5 65 a share has been paid on account. In the estimation of financiers these beneficial certificates should be worth considerably more than the stock which is quoted in the market at $8 for the common and $23 50 for the preferred, but how much more cannot be stated, because there have never been public quotations on the certificates. The Union Trust Company does not guarantee payment of the certificates, but merely acts as trustee in the transaction.

It is said that some of the sanguine holders of the common stock of National Fire Proofing expected the directors to resume the payment of dividends on that issue at this time because the earnings appear to have been in excess of the amount required for the preferred dividend. Any one who entertained such expectation must have forgotten the wording of the resolution adopted by the board last November when the dividend on the common stock was suspended. It was then stated that "while the dividends have been omitted, it is deemed inadvisable for the present to declare a dividend on the common stock of this company, the best interests of the stockholders being subserved by placing these earnings to the surplus fund." The improvement in business has not been such as to warrant any change in the policy thus outlined, and the stock market has given no recent indication of a resumption of dividends.

Southern Pacific preferred stock was quoted yesterday at 115½ to 116. This is the new issue.

The Columbia (O.) Railway Company has declared a dividend of 1¼ per cent on the preferred stock, payable November 1, as registered October 15.

A dividend of 4 per cent has been declared on the preferred stock of the International Smokeless Powder Company, payable November 15 as registered October 31.

The New York bond market was exceptionally active and especially Steel sinking fund 5s, Central of Georgia issues, as also Union Pacific convertibles.

Speyer & Co. and Kuhn, Loeb & Co. have purchased $8,306,000 Central Pacific 4 per cent bonds, guaranteed by the Southern Pacific Company and secured by first mortgage on the Lucin cut-off, which now forms part of the transcontinental main line.

Lehigh Valley has authorized the issue of $15,000,000 4 per cent consol mortgage bonds, part of an authorized issue of $150,000,000.

The head of a prominent New York stock exchange house takes this view of recent events: "The most important news of the week is the entrance of two more Standard Oil men to Union Pacific directorate. It is generally assumed that the Standard Oil interests now can dictate the Union Pacific's policy. Union Pacific owns Southern Pacific, and through the Northern Securities Company controls the Northern Pacific if Harriman wins, and if he don't it will have a large voice in the Northern Pacific's management. Therefore, control of Union Pacific by the Standard Oil people makes it unnecessary for the St. Paul, which they also are largely interested in, to build to the Pacific coast, and it would seem that the Standard Oil party by their large purchases, including Atchison, have constituted themselves a combination of security-holding individuals who act as a unit and are practically a holding company, although they are not incorporated, having the power to dictate the policy of all the transcontinental roads in the United States. They are the masters of the situation. The permanent removal for control of this enormous block of Union Pacific must have a great market effect. Furthermore, the great importance of Union Pacific in the transcontinental situation is most apparent. It is certainly more important than St. Paul, for instance. Union Pacific earns as much or more than St. Paul on its common stock. Why, therefore, is not the present price of Union Pacific much too low, even if it does not increase its dividend in the immediate future?"

As indicating the breadth and variety of the day's market a list of the industrials which moved upward a point or more is given, the ities indicating sufficiently the many branches of industry which were represented: The iron and steel stocks and railroad equipment stocks generally; the National Lead and the American Smelting stocks; Sugar, Corn Products, Cotton Oil, Malting, Grass Twine, Knickbocker Ice, International Paper, Woolen, Virginia-Carolina Chemical, the Rubber Goods and United States Rubber stocks, International Power, Butterick Publishing, National Enameling and others which came to trader's eyes after long inactivity, but which did not move widely. The main argument for the advance in these stocks was that they had not yet responded to the improvement in trade sentiment, and that they were too low by comparison with other stocks that have advanced.

Money continued easy, with the prospect of a more favorable bank statement this week. The sub-treasury has contributed to the New York banks already this week $5,034,000, including the payment on account of Australian gold.

New York Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—(Special.)—Government bonds closed firm. The general bond market was notably active and strong, with the more important dealings in Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s, Central of Georgia issues, Rock Island collaterals, Consolidated Tobacco 4s, Consolidated Gas convertibles, Union Pacific convertible 4s and Steel sinking fund 5s. District of Columbia 3s, 65s, 118½ bid; Philippine 4s, 110 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Japanese 6s	90⅜	90⅜	90⅜
Atchison gen. 4s	102¼	102	102¼
B. R. T. con. 4s	84¼	82¾	84
Central of Ga. con 5s	113¼	112¾	113¼
Do 1st inc.	88	85¼	88
Do 2d inc.	63	60	62⅝
Do 3d inc.	49½	43¾	49
Central Pacific 1st 4s	100⅞	100⅜	100⅜
C., R. & Q. joint 4s	98⅜	97⅝	98
C. R. I. & P. col. 4s	77	76⅜	76⅝
Do. col. 5s	88⅝	88¼	88½
Col. Fuel & Iron gen 5s	101	100¼	101
Do Con. 5s Tr. Co. certd.	79¼	78¼	79
Con. Gas con. 6s	192	190⅜	191⅞
Cor. Tob. 4s	73⅜	72	72
Do reg.	73¼	73¼	73¼
Distillers 5s	72	71⅜	71⅝
K. C., Ft. S. & M. 4s	84½	84¼	84½
Lack. Steel 5s	101½	101¼	101½
Reading gen. 4s	101½	101¼	101⅜
Union Pacific con. 4s	108¼	107⅝	108¼
U. S. Steel s. f. 5s	86⅜	85	86¼
Do. reg.	82⅞	82½	82⅝
Wabash 1st 5s	118½	118	118¼
Do. deb. "B"	65½	65¼	65⅜

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Rys	47⅜	Penna. Steel	42
Cambria Steel	23¾	Do preferred	89½
Cambria Iron	46⅜	Philadelphia Co	42¾
Cons. Trac. N. J.	25	Do preferred	45¾
Cons. Lake Super.	6¾	Phila. Traction	97⅜
Do preferred	11¾	Phila. Elec. Co.	6⅝
Electric Storage	67	Tidewater Steel	7
Elec. Co. of Am.	9¼	Do preferred	8½
Lehigh Valley	48¾	Union Traction	55⅜
Marsden	3⅝	United Gas Impt.	96
Penna. R. R.	66 15-16	Welsbach Co	18½

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westinghouse	83	Mass. Electric	13½
General Electric	172	Do preferred	55½

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Daily range of prices, reported by Messrs. Henry Sprout & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
35300	Am. T. & S. F.	84½	84⅝	83⅞	83⅞
900	Do preferred	100¾	100¾	100¼	100¼
1700	American Car. Oil	30⅜	31¼	30⅜	31
	Do preferred				94
38200	Am. Sugar Ref.	132⅜	134½	132½	134⅜
	Do preferred	133⅛	133¼	133¼	133½
17100	Am. Locomotive	28¼	29¼	28¼	28⅜
600	Do preferred	96¾	97⅛	96⅝	97
7200	Am. Car. Fdry.	25⅞	27	25⅞	26⅝
1400	Do preferred	83½	84	83½	83½
	American Can				7⅜
	Do preferred				49
26300	Amal. Copper	62⅞	63⅝	62⅜	62⅝
100	Anaconda Copper	99¾	99¾	99¼	99
8100	Am. S. & Ref.	65½	66⅜	65¼	66¼
1200	Do preferred	107½	108	107½	108
400	American Ice	7⅝	7⅝	7¼	7⅜
2700	Do preferred	33½	35	33⅜	34⅜
8100	Balto. & Ohio	91⅜	92	91½	91⅝
500	Do preferred	94	94	94	94
85000	Brk. Rap. Tran.	61⅝	65	61¼	64⅛
	Can. Southern				49
1800	Can. Pacific	131½	132	131½	131¾
1400	Chic. & G. W.	17¼	17¼	17	17⅜
1700	Consol. Gas	211½	212¾	211¼	211¾
200	C., C., C. & S. L.	85	85	85	85
1600	Ches. & Ohio	43⅝	44	43⅝	43⅝
200	Chic. & N. W.	187½	188¾	187½	187⅝
2400	Col. Fuel & Iron	36⅞	37⅜	36⅛	37
7400	Corn Product	16⅜	18	16⅜	17⅛
800	Do preferred	73	74	73	74
1800	Col. Southern	20	20⅝	20	19¾
200	Do 1st pfd.	51½	51½	51½	51
200	Do 2d pfd.	27¼	27¼	27	26⅝
100	Del., L. & W.	295	298	295	296
600	Del. & Hudson	173¾	175¾	173½	173
15900	Erie	32¼	32½	32⅛	32¼
4100	Do 1st pfd.	68⅛	68¾	67⅝	67¾
900	Do 2d pfd.	46⅞	47	46¼	46⅝
300	Gen. Electric	172	172⅝	171⅝	171⅝
200	Hocking Valley	81	83	81	82
100	Do preferred	87¾	89½	88¾	89
900	Illinois Central	144½	144⅝	144¼	144¼
100	Iowa Central	25¾	25¾	25¾	25½
200	Do preferred	44⅜	44⅜	44⅜	40
6000	Int. Paper	17⅞	18⅛	17⅞	18¼
900	Do preferred	76	79¼	76	76
	Lake E. & W.				31½
	Do preferred				83
1800	Louisv. & Nashv.	128¾	129	128½	128½
1700	Manhattan	156¼	156⅝	156½	156½
9200	Missouri Pacific	106¾	106¾	106¼	106¼
8100	M., K. & T.	27½	28⅝	28	28
6300	Do preferred	57½	58¾	57	57
39600	Metropolitan	121¼	122⅝	121	121⅞
24100	Do Securities	83⅜	84⅝	82¾	84⅝
2200	Mex. Central	14	14⅜	14	14
11800	National Lead	24½	24⅞	24	24⅝
	Do preferred	96	97	96	97
8100	Nat. Biscuit	48¼	48⅝	48¼	48⅜
	Do preferred				109½
8100	N. Y. Central	131⅝	132	131½	131⅝
	N. J. Central				182
1700	N. Y., O. & W.	35⅜	35½	35⅜	35⅜
3900	Norfolk & West.	71⅜	71¾	71	71
	Do preferred	92¼	92¾	92¼	90
100	North American	94	94	94	94
17400	Peoples Gas	103¾	105⅛	103⅝	104⅞
7700	Pacific Mail	35	37½	35	37⅜
600	Pullman	230	230½	230	228
16700	Pressed Steel Car	39⅝	40	39	39¼
2200	Do preferred	83¼	83½	82½	82½
52200	Penna. R. R.	133½	134	133⅜	133½
100	P. C. C. & St. L.	72	72	72	71½
	Do preferred				101
	Railway Springs	24	25	24	24⅜
	Do preferred	83	83½	83	82½
46100	Reading	71¾	72	71	71⅝
800	Do 1st pfd.	86½	86⅝	86½	86½
100	Do 2d pfd.	79	79	79	78½
10000	Rock Island	28⅞	29¼	28¾	28⅝
1300	Do preferred	73	73	72	72½
700	Republic Iron	11¾	11¾	11⅝	11½
1800	Do preferred	50⅝	52	50⅝	51⅜
50600	Southern Pacific	89¼	89¾	88⅝	88⅝
10100	Southern Ry.	33¼	33½	32¾	32⅞
900	Do preferred	93½	93⅝	93½	93½
	St. Paul	167¼	167⅞	166⅝	167
	Do preferred	183¼	183½	183½	183
200	St. Louis & S'w.	22¾	22⅞	22⅜	22
2700	Do preferred	49⅝	49⅞	49¼	49
8100	Tenn. C. & I.	50¼	52¾	50⅝	51⅜
2200	Texas & Pacific	33⅜	33⅝	33¼	33½
900	T., St. L. & W.	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	30⅝
600	Do preferred	50½	50½	50½	50
42300	U. S. Steel	18⅝	19¼	18⅝	19
58300	Do preferred	76⅜	78	76½	77½
	Do 2d 5% bonds	85	86¼	85	86¼
37600	Union Pacific	105	105¾	104½	104⅝
	Do preferred	94¼	94⅜	94⅛	94⅛
5800	U. S. Rubber	27¼	29	26⅞	28⅜
2400	Do preferred	85	85½	85	84
15300	U. S. Leather	10⅝	11	10⅝	11
1000	Do preferred	89½	90	89½	89½
	U. S. C. I. Pipe	12⅜	12⅝	12⅜	12⅜
	Do preferred	61½	62	61	61¼
100	U. S. R. & C. pfd	61½	61¾	61⅝	61
1400	Wabash	20½	20¾	20	20⅜
1000	Do preferred	42	42	41⅞	41⅞
600	Western Union	91⅜	91¾	91⅜	91½
	W. & L. E.				17½
	Do 1st pfd.	44½	44½	44	44
	Do 2d pfd.	24¾	24¾	24¼	25
3000	Wisconsin Cent.	20	21¼	20	21¼
1800	Do preferred	44¾	46	44¾	45¾
	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	166½	167	166½	166
1000	M. St. L. & S. F. M.	81¼	82	81½	81½
	Do preferred				133

COMPLETE RECORD OF THE NEW YORK STOCKS

INACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.
5700	A. Grass & T.	...	7½	6⅜	7
900	A. Hide & Leath.	...	54⅝	54⅝	55¼
	Do preferred	...	105	105	107
2600	American Malt	...	4⅜	4⅜	4½
5420	Do preferred	...	23½	23	23
100	Am. Snuff pfd.	...	96½	86¼	96
350	Chicag. Un. Tr.	...	7¾	7½	7½
1825	Chicago Ter. Tr.	...	7½	7½	7½
3120	Do preferred	...	16⅞	16¾	16¾
7705	Corn Product	...	18	16⅞	17⅜
500	Do preferred	...	74	72	74
200	Con. Tobacco pfd	...	124½	124¼	124
900	Detroit United	...	71½	71	71⅜
400	D. S. S. & A.	...	7⅜	7⅜	7⅛
1100	Do preferred	...	43¼	43¼	45
100	Iowa Central	...	25⅜	24⅜	25¾
200	Do preferred	...	46⅜	46¾	48⅜
100	Kan. & Mich.	...	35½	35¼	35½
1200	K. C. & S. pfd.	...	48¼	47⅝	48
900	K.C.Ft.S.& M.pf.	...	78	77½	78
1200	M.St.P. & S.S.M.	...	82	81¼	81¼
23550	Met. Subs.	...	84⅞	82¼	84¼
8225	M. K. & T. com.	...	28⅝	28	28
200	Pacific Coast Co	...	68	68	67¾
13045	Rubber Goods	...	23⅞	22⅝	23
1200	Sloss	...	43½	42½	43
110	Do preferred	...	89⅜	89¾	89½
425	Twin City	...	103	102¾	102⅞
100	Un. Bag & Paper	...	6½	6½	6½
100	U. S. Cast Pipe	...	12¾	12¾	12¾
4900	Do preferred	...	62	61	62
2600	Va. Car.—Chem	...	35	34	35⅜
3100	Do preferred	...	108¼	107¼	107½
820	W. Elec. 2d pfd.	...	167	166½	166

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104⅝	Man. con. gold 4s.	103½
Do coupon	104⅝	*Mexican Cent. 4s	79
U. S. 3s, reg.	104½	†Do 1st Inc.	17½
Do coupon	105¼	*Mtn. & So. L. 4s	85
U. S. new 4s, reg.	121½	N. K. & T. 4s	101¾
Do coupon	131⅝	Do 2ds	84
U. S. old 4s, reg.	106½	N.R.R. of M.c. 6s	118¾
Do coupon	106½	N. Y. C. gen. 3½s	100¾
Atchison gen. 4s	102¼	*N. J. C. gen. 5s	134½
Do adjt. 4s	97¼	North. Pacific 4s	104½
A. Coast Line 4s	99⅝	Do 3s	75
E. T. 4s	103⅜	O. R. & N. con. 5s	107½
Do 4½s	95⅜	O. S. L. & Partic. 4s	95
Cent. of Ga. 5s	118¼	Penna. conv. 3½s	101
Do 1st Inc.	88	Reading gen. 4s	101⅛
C. & O. 4½s	105¾	S.L. & I. M. c. 5s	115½
C. & A. 3½s	93⅝	St.L. & S.F.1.g.4s	86¾
C. & N. new 4s	98	St. L. S. W. 1st 4s	88⅛
C., M. & St. P. g. 4s	104½	Seaboard A. L. 4s	81
C. & N. con. 7s	128¾	South. Pac. 4s	94½
C. R. I. & P. 4s	76⅜	Southern Ry. 5s	118¾
Do col. 5s	88½	Tex. & Pac. 1sts	121
C. C. C. & St. L. g. 4s	101½	T., St. L. & W. 4s	80
Chic. Term. 4s	85	Union Pacific 4s	106
Consol. Tob. 4s	73½	Do conv. 4s	104½
Col. & South. 4s	87	U. S. Steel 2d 5s	96⅛
D. & R. G. 4s	100½	Wabash 1sts	118¼
Erie prior lien 4s	99⅜	Do Deb. B.	65½
Do general 4s	88	W. & L. E. 4s	91
†F.W. & D.C.1st	115½	Wiscon. Cent. 4s	82
Hock. Val. 4½s	109	Col. Fuelcon. 6s ctfs	79
L. & N. unif. 4s	101½		

*Bid. †Offered.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sprout & Co.)

Amer. Elevator	⅛

SIXTY HOUSES ON NEW TUNNEL LINE.

T. A. Milby and Others Will Improve Frontage Beyond Mt. Washington.

SOME NEW EXCHANGE DEALS

The new tunnel line, which will be running in November, is beginning to bear fruit in important developments beyond Mt. Washington. The latest project announced, which may be traced directly to the better transportation facilities promised, is to build 60 houses near the boundary line of Mt. Washington and West Liberty. A company of four men headed by T. A. Milby of the firm of Milby & Reed, contractors, have secured an option on frontage which will be cut up into 60 lots, 30x100 feet each. Mr. Milby's firm has built 250 houses for the Knoxville Land Improvement Company and the houses to be erected now will be similar to the better class of houses in Knoxville. They will be solid brick dwellings of eight rooms and will be provided with hard wood mantels, hot and cold water and gas and electric lights. The houses will be sold on easy payments for about $4,500 each. Mr. Milby is now building four houses for Edward W. Smith in the same neighborhood, to cost $15,000, and a $9,000 residence for Joseph A. Langdon in Merrimac street. The houses proposed will be only 12 minutes from the postoffice by the new tunnel line. Work on them will be started as soon as the deal for the property is closed and it is expected that some of the houses will be ready for occupancy by April 1.

McKees Rocks Property Sold.

Through the office of the Gordon Smith Company an exchange deal involving properties valued at $71,500 has just been closed. The most important property changing hands is a three-story brick hotel on lot 70x120 feet on the west side of Chartiers avenue, near the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad station at McKees Rocks. This property, which was put into the deal at $45,000, belonged to Walter Butler and was purchased by a well-known South Side business man. The hotel contains 24 rooms and a large public hall, and the third floor and the total rental of the property is about $3,000 a year. In payment for this property there was tendered five frame houses on lots 25x100 feet and 30 lots of the same size in the Arlington plan in the Thirty-second ward. The houses are valued at $16,000 and the lots at $10,500, on $350 each. The latter will be improved with a good class of houses.

The Commonwealth Real Estate Company has about concluded the sale of 200 feet of choice frontage in the heart of the Shadyside district for a total of $35,000. The lots are 100 feet deep on the face in Dahlia and Westminster streets. They were bought by four local business men, who will improve the sites with houses to cost at least $15,000 each.

Two Exchange Deals Closed.

The Union Realty Company reports having closed two exchange deals amounting to $56,000. By one deal Sallie P. E. Price conveys to James L. Bunnell four brick houses at 3215, 3214, 3216 and 3218 Elsinore square, Fourteenth ward, on lots 20x99 feet each. Mr. Bunnell gave in part payment a farm of 100 acres in Wyoming county, Pa., the difference being settled by a mortgage. In the other exchange Mrs. Price conveyed to Mrs. Elizabeth Z. Pritchard four brick houses at 3217, 3219, 3221 and 3223 Elsinore square on lots 20x99 feet. For these properties Mrs. Pritchard gave title to lots 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and one-half of lots 13 and 15 in J. P. Ballen's Oakland View plan, facing on Wallace, Hudson and Miami streets. The lots are 21x160 feet.

Through the office of Borland & Waddell Harry J. C. Malone has sold to A. S. Bierley and H. L. Borland 45x80 feet on the east side of Hudson street and 107x160 feet in Miami street, Fourteenth ward, for $10,000.

No. 4 Clark avenue, sold for John A. Staley to a well-known business man the property at 59 Chatham street, Seventh ward, for $11,000. The lot is 23x96 feet and is improved with a three-story brick building, which will be remodeled at once.

Lot Sales in Allegheny.

Through the office of George T. McDonald State Senator John H. Goehring has sold to a local business man 44x100 feet at the northeast corner of California avenue and Chelsea street, Eleventh ward, Allegheny, for $5,500. He also sold for John Henderson to A. C. Beck 30x100 feet in Winthrop street, near California avenue, for $7,500. This lot is improved with a 10-room brick house. The same broker sold for the Walker Place Land Company to A. V. Furnell 50x120 feet in California avenue, Walker place, for $3,750 and 40x120 feet in Manston avenue, in the same plan, for $2,600. Two brick houses are already started on these lots.

Wilkinsburg: The Wilkinsburg Real Estate & Trust Company sold for George A. West to Jabez Corns of Braddock No. 1015 Coal street, Wilkinsburg, an eight-room brick house on 24x112 feet for $4,300. The same company sold for John Owens to C. H. Gray two lots, 24x136 feet each, on the north side of Green street, near Mifflin avenue, for $2,300.

North Highland avenue: The East End Savings and Trust Company has delivered the deed to Joseph H. Schramm, president of the Lutz & Schramm Company of Allegheny, for the F. M. Lowry residence on the west side of North Highland avenue, near Wellesley avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $27,500. The house is a modern brick residence on 70x200 feet.

McPherson street: The Real Estate Trust Company sold for H. F. Black to H. M. Lautzenworby 31.6x140 feet on the north side of McPherson street, near Linden avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $6,500. The lot is improved.

Minor Real Estate Deals.

Robinson street: The Mills-Slaugenhoupt Company sold for J. M. Bingaman to Sarah M. W. Jacobs an improved lot, 26x100 feet, in Robinson street, Fourteenth ward, for $7,350. The seller bought the property from S. B. Dunham for $7,500.

Hazelwood: The Hill-Burgwin estate sold to Alfred Davies an improved lot, 24x100 feet, in Second avenue, Twenty-third ward, for $3,600.

Cliff street: Anna Doyle sold to Kate Elvanoff an improved lot, 21x78 feet, in Cliff street, Eleventh ward, for $2,075.

Independence street: The Jerusalem Baptist church of Pittsburgh sold to the West Side Belt Railroad Company an irregular shaped lot containing 1212 square feet in Independence street, Thirty-fourth ward, for $625.

Through the office of C. O. Mitchell, J. M. Laughlin sold to A. E. Holderman improved property on 34x120 feet on the easterly side of Braddock avenue, near Forbes street, Twenty-second ward. The consideration was $10,000. The lot is improved with a modern 11-room reception hall brick residence, which the purchaser will occupy as a home.

Through the office of John A. Sharp, Keystone building, William Walker sold lot No. 15, Ingleside plan, Nineteenth ward, to Mrs. Ellen Kelly, for $1,300 cash. The lot has a frontage of 25 feet on Broad street.

The Pittsburgh bureau of building inspection issued the following permits yesterday: To J. E. Schuessler, three brick dwellings, Diana alley, Eleventh ward, to cost $5,800; A. C. Hughes, brick dwelling, Adelaide street, Thirteenth ward, to cost $3,500; John G. and I. G. Zalbringer, frame dwelling, Stoebener alley, Twenty-first ward, to cost $3,000, and John Spielman, frame dwelling, Eleanor and Primrose streets, Twenty-seventh ward, to cost $1,700.

Transfers Recorded.

Wood S L to Andrew Johnston, Oct 1.

Crafton, 50x110, Oregon st	$ 1,535
Aspinwall Land Co to Chas W Lepper, Sept 15. Aspinwall, 30x101, Western ave	4,300
Fester J H to Scott Thompson, Mch 8, Swissvale, 55x119, Rosslyn st	12,000
F L Jahn S & L A to Edward Gay, Sept 15, 16th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Liberty ave	2,700
Seely S J to Anna M Williams, Aug 30, 19th wd, Pgh, 36x124, Farragut st	2,200
Allison E W to Jno Boyd, Sept 27, 13th wd, Pgh, 21x100, Herron ave	3,600
Fidelity T & Tr Co to J S Clifford, Sept 17, Braddock twp, 35 acres	12,285
Weaver Benj to Hamilton Moore, Oct 10, McKees Rocks, 114x100, Locust way half interest	3,000
Hoffman Eva to Christina Hoffman, Oct 1, Mifflin twp, 100x22, Hoffman st	2,500
Coleman Thos A to J R Messner, Mch 25, 21st wd, Pgh, 25x100, Idlewild st	5,600
McLean C B to W D Etherington, Sept 24, 20th wd, Pgh, 21x106, Mathilda st	1,478
McGraw Jno H to Andrew Mooney, Oct 1, Hampton twp, 96 perches	2,000
Powell Wm to L L Pinto, Sept 30, 16th wd, Pgh, 20x98, Liberty ave	6,000
Austin Mary E to Margaret Tetley, Oct 5, 17th wd, Pgh, 34x65, Forty-fifth st	2,100
Wolf Geo P to Adolph Recht, Oct 10, Dunquesne, 50x84, N Sixth st	1,600
Murphy James A to R H McKeown, Sept 27, 16th wd, Pgh, 20x96, Elliott st	4,500
Hechtman H G to P Marcuse, Oct 1, 11th wd, Pgh, 40x100, Overhill st	7,800
McKnight F J to Mary O Yeager, Oct 6, 20th wd, Pgh, 27x120, Hallman st	3,650
Hallenbrand Mary to Jno Schmek, Sept 26, 21st wd, Pgh, 27x139, Park ave	1,600
Ralph Jno L to W C Pettigrew, Sept 26, McKees Rocks, 24x100, Woodward ave	2,800
Larned Lester E to N L Anthony, Aug 17, Stowe twp, 21x87, Federal st	1,550
Same to John Colangelo, Dec 2, Stowe twp, 21x87, Federal st	1,550
Beachdel R to I T Thropp, Sept 16, 10th wd, McKeesport, 22x120, Ann st	2,300
McDowell R P to H S Gibson, Oct 12, Wilkinsburg, 30x100, North ave	8,900
Green Wm E to Alice M Bair, Oct 12, Swissvale, 25x115, Calumet st	4,150
Model Home Co to E R Johnston, Sept 27, Knoxville, 37x100, Knox ave	4,750
Bell Frank B to L L Hiller, Sept. 15, 14th ward, Pgh, 22x141, Meyran ave	7,000
Anshutz Wm to Wm Anshutz, Jr, Aug 10, 5th wd, Ally, 26x122, Western ave	2,000
Turner Joseph to J T Marx, Aug 12, 10th wd, Ally, 20x100, Perrysville ave	3,400
Hanna Henry to B Monticello, Oct 8, Carnegie, 25x113, Fourth ave	20,500
McDonald A S to J R Brown, Aug 20, Edgewood, 94x140, Maple ave	4,800
Glessport Land Co to S Addis, Aug 24, Port Vue, 40x180, Michigan ave	1,200
Coster R J to Clara Cunan, Sept 26, 32d wd, Pgh, 48x130, Bingham st	2,200
Coutts D to B McGlade, Sept 29, Mt Oliver, 17x87, Anthony st	2,800

ARBUCKLES DENY PEACE HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED

Report Coffee War Is Ended Said to Be Incorrect—All Market Lines Firm.

Wholesale grocers, particularly those who handle the Woolson Spice Company's goods, are confident the war between the Arbuckles and the American Sugar Refining Company is at an end. It has been on ever since the Arbuckles entered the sugar business. To punish them for this move the refining company bought out the spice mills and commenced a coffee war. The Woolson brand of coffee has sold for a half cent to a cent lower than the Arbuckles' for several years.

Several days ago The Gazette announced that the Woolson company had moved its price up even with that of the Arbuckle company. This is looked upon by wholesalers as an indication that the long war is over and the refining company has made peace with its powerful rival. The management of the local Arbuckle house deny this. They state that the raise was due to a raise in the price of green coffee, which compelled the Woolson people to get up on their figure. They could not say whether there would be any further increases in price or not.

The flour market sulked yesterday, although wheat still continued to go up. The quotation of $6 50 and $6 55 a barrel is still good, although the price is supposed to be 10 cents lower than this. Buyers are not rushing in, however, as there is little temerity on their part. It is quite certain that flour is the lowest now that it will be for some months to come.

The produce market continued firm in all lines yesterday. Grapes moved up a cent and Pennsylvania was firm. Apples dropped a little on the price per barrel. The receipts reported were: Apples, 2 cars, making 86 cars; bananas, 15 cars, making 21 cars; cabbage, 1 car, making 22 cars; cranberries, 1 car, making 3 cars; grapes, 1 car, making 33 cars; onions, 20 cars; oranges, 1 car, making 2 cars; pears, 4 cars, making 33 cars; peaches, 5 cars; potatoes, 4 cars, making 68 cars; sweet potatoes, 13 cars; miscellaneous, 18 cars.

HAY AND GRAIN RECEIPTS.

Receipts of hay, grain and feed reported yesterday were: Pittsburgh & Lake Erie—2 cars oats, 3 cars hay. Baltimore & Ohio—2 cars hay. Pennsylvania lines—1 car corn, 15 cars hay, 2 cars straw, 8 cars feed, 3 cars rye, 8 cars oats.

The hay and grain market remained firm in all lines yesterday. The expected drop in oats did not materialize and they remained at the quotations given for the last several days. The receipts yesterday were light, not more than the market could readily absorb. Shelled corn is still scarce and new corn is still absent from the market. Business is good in all lines but feed and dealers report general satisfaction.

New No. 1 timothy ..$12.50@13.00	No. 2 middlings ..$23.50@24.00
No. 2 ..$11.50@12.00	do brown..$21.50@22.00
No. 1 clover..$12.00@12.50	Bran, loose..$19.50@20.00
No. 1 mix..$12.00@12.50	Wheat, No. 2 red ..$1.10@1.11
Loose from wagon..$14.00@16.00	Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ...61½@62c
Straw, oat..$6.75@7.25	High mixed ..60@60½c
do wheat..$6.75@7.25	No. 2 yellow ear ..63@63½c
do rye..$11.25@11.75	No. 3 yellow ear ..60@60½c
No. 2 white oats ..35@35½c	
No. 3 oats ..34@34½c	
No. 4 oats ..34@34½c	
White middlings, No. 1, ton..$24.50@26.00	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do block ...14@14½c
Prints ..22@23½c	do imported..27@27½c
Tubs ..22@22½c	do dairy .....
Ohio creamery ..20@21c	ger, new..12½@18c
Dairy ..16@17c	do 5-lb brk..18@18½c
Country roll ..14@15c	Neufchatel, per box..90c@$1.00
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new..11@11½c	Eggs, selected ..23c
do Ohio crm..10½@11c	do candled ..21@22c
do ¼ cream, new ..9@9½c	do at mark..19½@21c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs ..14@15c	do storage..19½@20c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags ..10@12c	Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..6@6½c
do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12½c	do Ondaria
Apples, bulk..6¾@7c	do Val. ..8@8½c
do 1-lb cartons ..7½@8c	do Cal. Val. ..7@7½c
Peaches ..7@10½c	Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs ..6¼@6¾c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7½@7¾c	Prunes ..3@8c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy ..8c	Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs ..10c
do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights ..7c	do No. 2 ..8c
No. 1 green bulls ..6c	Calfskins, No. 1 ..11c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	do bags ..5.15c
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in papers..$6.50@6.75	do 2-lb carton..5.35c
Fancy winter patent ..$6.10@6.20	do 5-lb bags ..5.55c
Straight win..$5.90@6.05	do pow'd xxxx..5.50c
Rye ..$4.50@4.55	do cubes ..5.45c
Graham ..$4.05@4.75	do coff. A..4.55@4.65c
Cornmeal, bbl ..$3.00@3.10	do No. 1 yellow..5.05c
do 10-lb cotton bags ..16½@17	do No. 2 yellow..4.75c
Buckwheat ..$3.00@3.10	do No. 3 yellow..4.70c
Rolled oats, bbl..$4.70	Beans.
do sacks ..$2.50	Navy, choice H. P. ..$1.90@2.00
Roasted Coffee.	Red kidney..$3.25@3.50
Rio ..13½@15c	Cal. Lima, lb..6¼@6½c
Santos ..22½@23½c	Peas, dried, bu ..$1.25@1.35
Maracaibo ..15@15½c	do split, lb ..4c
Peaberry ..17½@18c	do marrowfat, bu ..$2.00@2.10
Golden Rio ..15@15½c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg ..11½c
Parchment ..19½@20c	do headlight ..12½c
Standard, pkgs	do water white..13c
High grade..18½@19¼c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg ..12½c
Molasses, fancy refined ..35@36c	do Elaine ..16c
do choice ..31@34c	do special brands ..26@43c
do open ket..37@39c	Rice, extra fancy, head, lb ..6@6½c
Syrups.	do fancy Japan ..4@4½c
Fancy syrup ..28@30c	do choice, Carolina ..5¼@5½c
Maple syrup, gal..$1.00	Salt, No. 1 bbl ..$1.00
Sug and cans..24@25c	do No. 2 extra..$1.10
Prime ..24@25c	do grain, rock ..95c
½-lb cans, doz..$1.00	do pocket..$1.50@1.85
1-lb cans, doz..$1.80	do dairy ..$1.30
10-lb cans, doz..$3.40	Lentils, fancy "6-O" lb. ..4½c
Maple, gal..75c@$1.00	
Oatmeal, bbl ..$5.25	
do kegs ..$2.75	
Sugar, sta. gran..5.20c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu, store..60@65c	Spinach, ½-bu b'sket..20@25c
bu, track..56@55c	Honey, new ..15@16c
Virginia sweets, bbls ..$1.50@1.75	extra fancy ..17c
Jersey sweets, bbls ..$2.75@3.00	Beets, bbls..$1.75@2.00
Onions, bbls ..$2.00@2.25	Potatoes, bbl ..40@50c
Carrots, bbl..$1.75@2.00	Egg plant, bush, choice ..50@75c
do bu ..30@40c	Squash, marrowfats, bbl..$1.50@1.75
Spanish, per crate ..$1.20@1.25	do Hubbard bbls ..$1.50@1.75
do hamp're..90c@$1.00	Rutabagas, bbl..$1.10@1.15
Cucumbers, do home raised, bu ..90c@$1.00	Peppers, bu..55@60c
Cabbage, bbl ..75c@$1.00	do bbls..$1.25@1.50
do ton..$10.00@12.00	Mushrooms, per lb ..35@40c
Lettuce, baskets ..20@25c	Cauliflower, per bu basket ..$1.25@1.50
Green beans..$2.00@2.25	Green corn, home-husked, doz..20@25c
Lima beans, basket ..40@50c	bu ..$1.25@1.50
do qt ..14@15c	Popcorn, lb ..4@5c
Brussels sprouts, quart ..18@20c	Cantaloupes, Palisades ..$2.25@2.50
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz ..10@15c	Rockyfords..$2.00@2.25
do Ohio ..20@25c	Garlic, lb ..7@8c
	Cranberries, per crate..$1.75@2.25
	Horseradish, bbl ..$6.50@7.00

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas ..$4.00@4.25	Apples, ½ bu ..25@35c
do California ..$2.50@3.00	Choice ..$1.25@1.50
Oranges,	Fancy ..$2.00@2.25
St. Michaels, ..$4.00@4.50	Crabapples, chips ..25@40c
Late Valencias ..$4.00@4.50	Peaches, 6-basket carriers ..$2.00@2.25
Jamaicas, per box..$3.00@3.25	10-lb b'skets..40@50c
Cocoanuts, bags ..$2.75@3.00	20-lb b'skets..75@80c
Figs, cartons..75@90c	bu bskts..$2.00@2.50
Figs, layers ..8@12c	Plums, Cal., crates ..85c@$1.00
Dates, stuffed..12½c	Damsons, ½-bu b'skts..40@50c
Bananas 1st..$1.50@1.75	Limes, per 100 ..75c@$1.00
do 2nds ..$1.25@1.50	Pears, per crate, Fancy ..$2.00@2.50
Pineapples, crate ..$3.00@3.50	10-lb b'skts..20@25c
Grapes, California, crates ..$1.50@1.75	20-lb b'skets..45@50c
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb b'sket..16@17c	Keifers, Ohio & N. Y. bbls ..$2.50@2.75
Niagara grapes, 4-lb b'sket..10@11c	Bartletts, bbls. ..$4.00@5.00
do 8-lb b'sket..20@21c	Quinces, bbls ..$4.00@4.25
Grape fruit..$5.00@6.50	½-bu ..50@75c
Japanese per. simmons ..$2.50@3.00	

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl ..$26.00	Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl ..$16.00
do half bbl..$11.50	do half bbls ..$8.50
do quar. bbl ..$6.00	do quar. bbls ..$4.35
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl ..$20.00	do 20-lb pails..$1.00
do half bbls..$10.50	do 10-lb pails..$1.00
do quar. bbls..$6.25	do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs ..$5.00
do 20-lb pails..$1.90	Lake herring, 100 lbs ..$3.25
do 10-lb pails..$1.75	do 50-lb ..$1.35
	do 40-lb ..50c

NUTS.

Filberts ..10c	do domestic, per lb ..10@12c
Eng. walnuts ..12@15c	Shellbarks, bu ..$1.50@1.75
do domestic..70@75c	Pecans ..10c
S. S. almonds ..16½c	Peanuts, fancy roasted ..$1.00
Tarr. almonds ..10½c	do choice ..$1.30
Mixed ..10@13½c	
Brazil ..9c	
Dried Italian chestnuts ..7c	

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie..$1.10	Raspberries ..85@95c
do pie, gal..$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ..85@90c
do California, L. C ..$1.65@2.25	Tomatoes, fancy ..$1.15@1.35
do Maryland ..$1.45@1.65	do standard..80@85c
do California, Y. F ..$1.80@2.00	do gal ..$2.50@2.75
Corn, fancy..$1.10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb cans ..$1.25@1.40
do stan..90c@$1.00	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc ..75@95c
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.50@2.75	Salmon, doz..95c@2.00
Lima beans..$1.25@1.45	do red, 1-lb flats ..$1.00@1.30
do soaked ..75c@80c	1-lb flats..$1.65@2.00
String beans, 2-lb..70c	do pink, 1-lb talls ..$1.55@2.10
do 3-lb ..95c	Chipped beef..$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans ..$1.25@1.75	Corn and Roast beef, 2-lb cans ..$2.40@2.45
Peas, marrowfat ..88@90c	do 1-lb cans ..$1.30@1.35
do early June ..92@95c	Mackerel, boneless, broiled ..$1.90@2.50
do soaked ..55@85c	Sardines, domestic, ½s ..$3.45@3.60
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans..$2.15@2.25	do mustards ¾s..$2.60
Pineapples ..$1.25@2.55	do French..$9.50@18.50
Plums, California ..$1.55@1.60	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens ..11@12c	do capon, lb..20@27c
do rooster ..7@8c	Squab, doz ..$4.00
do old turkeys..15@15c	Ducks, pr ..$4.75
do old ducks..11@12c	Ducks, ruddy ..$1.25
do spring chickens ..12@13c	do red head..$1.75@3.00
do geese ..8@9c	do canvas-back ..$2.75@3.00
do spring ducks ..14@15c	Imp. golden plover, doz ..$5.50
Dressed hens..15@15c	do black plover..$4.50
do roosters ..12@13c	do grouse ..$2.50
do turkeys ..20@21c	do partridges ..$2.25
do spring chickens ..16@17c	English pheasants, per pair ..$3.25
do Long Island ducklings ..20c	Reed birds, doz..$1.25
	Snappers, per lb..8@10c

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up ..11¾c	back strips ..11¾c
Over 16 to 18 lbs..11¾c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 14 to 16 lbs..11¾c	short clears ..9½c
10 lbs and under..12c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ..9¾c
Skinned ..12¾c	do 16 to 20 lbs..10c
Boneless boiled ..20c	do under 16 lbs..10c
California ..9½c	Dry salt, smoked sides, extra
Shoulders, N. Y., cut ..9¾c	short clears ..10½c
do skinned ..10½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ..10¾c
Ribs, 8 to 20 lbs..12½c	do 16 to 20 lbs..11c
do 10 to 12 lbs..11½c	do under 16 lbs..11c
do back strips..11½c	Lard, pure, tierces ..8¼@9c
do cicars, 8 to 10 lbs ..12½c	
do 10 to 12 lbs..12½c	

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, reclosned, 60-lb bu small..$7.50@7.75	Millet. Western ..$1.25@1.50
do mammoth ..$7.00@7.85	Southern ..$1.75@1.80
do crimson..$4.50@4.75	Grass, Hungarian ..60c@$1.00
do white Dutch..$10.25@12.00	do lawn, lb..16@18c
Alsike ..$7.50@8.00	do blues, 14-lb bu ..$1.50@1.60
Alfalfa ..$8.50@9.00	do red top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@1.60
	Timothy ..$1.45@1.55

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The drygoods market is in a quiet condition and buyers seem to feel that they can gain nothing by operating at present. The most general firmness exists, however, on the part of the sellers and manufacturers who are confident in the appreciation of prices on account of stock depletion.

Corporation and Trade Notes.

DAVENPORT, IA., Oct. 13.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company was held here today. Four directors, William H. Moore, B. L. Winchell, S. F. Yoakum and George G. McMurtry were re-elected for three years.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and Speyer & Co. have purchased $800,000 Central Pacific 4 per cent bonds, guaranteed by the Southern Pacific Company and secured by first mortgage on the Lucien cut-off, which now forms part of the transcontinental main line.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The annual meeting of the Northern Railroad Company was held here today. All the retiring directors were re-elected. It is understood that the present officers will be re-elected.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 13.—Employes of the Jeffersonville (Ind.) branch of the American Car and Foundry Company have been notified that the plant will be closed indefinitely November 1. About 300 men are affected.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Oct. 13.—The National Paint, Oil and Varnish dealers' convention adjourned today to meet in Chicago next year. The following officers were elected: Charles B. Field, Chicago, president; C. D. Wetiach, Pittsburgh, vice president; C. D. Walsh, Cincinnati, second vice president; J. F. Boydell, treasurer; L. L. Dieks, secretary.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—The usual quarterly dividend, $2 a share, from net earnings was declared today by the Pullman company. The annual statement for the fiscal year ending July 31 shows a net surplus for the year of $8,741,625. The board of directors was re-elected.

DEPRESSING INFLUENCE ON THE GRAIN MARKET

Estimates of Larger Exportable Surplus Had Effect on Price of Wheat.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—The weakness in wheat developed late in the day. A decreased movement in the northwest and higher prices in foreign grain markets were factors contributing to a strong opening. December was up ⅝@¾c at $1 10⅝@1 10⅞. May was up ⅝@¾c at $1 11@1 11⅛. On the advance there was some profit taking by local longs. As a result the market eased off a trifle. Sentiment, however, soon became bullish again and prices rose steadily. The strength was due largely to big advances at Duluth and Minneapolis as a result of heavy sales of flour, some of which was for export. A report of a trade paper at Portland, Oregon, to the effect that 8,000,000 bushels of wheat have been sold for eastern shipment had considerable influence in stimulating the demand for wheat here. The high point on December for the day was reached at $1 11⅛. Meantime May sold up to $1 11⅛. During the later part of the session the market broke quite sharply under heavy sales of May by a leader of the bull element, while the market was bearishly affected by a Cincinnati journal claiming a surplus of 10,000,000 bushels of wheat for export from the United States and Canada. Another factor was a private cablegram from Liverpool reporting Argentine wheat prospects very favorable. Before the decline was checked May had dropped to $1 09⅜. December sold off in sympathy to $1 09⅝. A fair demand from shorts caused some recovery, but the market closed easy with december at $1 10⅜. Final quotations on May were at $1 10¾@1 10⅝.

Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 80,400 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,100,000 bushels, compared with 1,003,000 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 827 cars, against 878 cars last week and 761 cars a year ago.

A firm tone prevailed in the corn market during the early part of the session. Factors that contributed to the strength were higher cables, small primary receipts and a good cash demand. In sympathy with the break in wheat the market became quite weak late in the day. December opened a shade to ¼@⅜c higher at 49¾@50c, sold off to 49¼c, and closed at 49⅝c. Local receipts were 88 cars with none of contract grade.

Covering by shorts and a good demand from cash houses caused fair activity in the oats market early in the day. Later trading became extremely listless and prices declined in sympathy with the weakness of other grains. December opened a shade higher at 29¼c, ranged between 28⅝c and 29⅝c, and closed at 28¾c. Local receipts were 123 cars.

In view of a weak hog market and a decline in corn, provisions held comparatively firm. Shorts were the principal buyers. There was some liquidation by outside holders. At the close January pork and lard were each 2½c lower. Ribs were unchanged at $6 50. Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 70 cars; corn, 62 cars; oats, 76 cars; hogs, 14,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
Oct ...	1 09⅜	1 09⅝	1 09	1 09	1 08⅜
Dec ...	1 10⅝	1 11⅛	1 09⅝	1 10⅜	1 10⅜
May ...	1 11⅜	1 11⅝	1 09⅝	1 10⅜	1 10⅛
CORN.					
No. 2.					
Oct ...	.....	.....	.....	51¼	51⅝
Dec ...	50	50	49⅛	49⅝	49⅝
May ...	46⅝	46⅝	45½	45⅞	46¼
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Oct ...	29¼	29⅝	28¾	28¾	29¼
Dec ...	29¼	29⅝	28⅝	28⅞	29¼
May ...	31½	31⅝	31	31	31⅝
MESS PORK					
Oct ...	11 00	11 00	10 95	10 95	10 95
Dec ...	11 10	11 12½	11 05	11 05	11 05
Jan ...	12 45	12 52½	12 35	12 40	12 42½
May ...	12 37½	12 40	12 35	12 35	12 40
LARD.					
Oct ...	7 37½	7 37½	7 27½	7 30	7 32½
Dec ...	7 25	7 25	7 20	7 20	7 17½
Jan ...	7 25	7 25	7 20	7 20	7 22½
May ...	7 27½	7 35	7 27½	7 30	7 29
SHORT RIBS.					
Oct ...	7 25	7 35	7 25	7 32½	7 25
Jan ...	6 50	6 55	6 50	6 50	6 50
May ...	6 60	6 62½	6 57½	6 57½	6 57½

Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, $1 10@1 16; No. 3, $1 05@1 12½; No. 2 red, $1 14@1 15; No. 2 corn, 53c; No. 2 yellow, 56c; No. 2 oats, 28⅞c; No. 2 white, 31¼@31½c; No. 3 white, 29½@31c; No. 2 rye, 77½c; good feeding barley, 30c; fair to choice malting, 33@48c; No. 1 flax seed, $1 09½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 14½; mess pork, per bbl, $11 00@11 12½; lard, per 100 lbs, $7 27½@7 30; short ribs sides (loose), $7 02½@7 75; short clear sides (boxed), $7 50@7 75; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 26½; clover, contract grade, $12 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	38,000	21,500
Wheat, bu	125,000	45,700
Corn, bu	115,000	159,500
Oats, bu	216,500	99,000
Rye, bu	13,000	6,400
Barley, bu	159,000	31,300

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Flour—Receipts, 18,520 bbls; exports, 9,527 bbls; sales, 4,300 pkgs; market firm and easy with light demand; Minnesota patent, $6 30@6 40; Minnesota bakers', $4 50@4 90; winter straights, $5 25@5 50. Rye flour firm. Cornmeal steady. Grain—Wheat—Receipts, 33,000 bu; sales, 4,600,000 bu, futures; spot easy; No. 2 red, $1 16½ f o b afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, $1 20½ f o b afloat; No. 1 hard, Manitoba, $1 20½ f o b afloat. Options opened quiet at ⅛c advance on cables, eased off under local pressure and then rallied nearly 1c on covering, following leading western strength and talk of a congested speculative interest in December, with a large milling demand also reported. Liquidation caused a decidedly weaker feeling during the last hour. The close was weak and ⅜@⅝c net lower. Sales included No. 2 red, May, $1 13⅜@1 12⅝, closed $1 11⅝; December, $1 14 1-16@1 15⅝, closed $1 14⅛. Corn—Receipts, 85,350 bushels; exports, 19,454 bu; sales, 30,000 bu futures; spot barely steady; No. 2, 56¾c elevator and 58c f o b afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60¼c; No. 2 white, 58½c. Option market opened 4@5 better and ruled week, declining ¼@⅝c under local pressure and closed weak, ⅝@⅞c decline. May, 51⅜@52⅛c, closed 51⅜c; December, 56@56¼c, closed 56⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 70,700 bu; exports, 7,506 bu; spot dull; mixed oats, 28 to 32 lbs, 24@25c; natural white, 30 to 32 lbs, 34¼@36¼c; clipped white, 36 to 40 lbs, 37@39½c. Options nominal. December closed 34¾c. Feed irregular; spring bran, $20 10; middlings, $20 60.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 13.—Cloverseed, cash and October, $7 50; December, $7 32½; March, $7 62½; prime alsike, $8 25; prime timothy, $1 35.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 13.—Wheat unsettled; No. 2 red cash, $1 14½; December $1 14⅝; May $1 14⅞@1 14¾; No. 3 red, $1 10⅝@1 12. Corn lower; No. 2 cash, 51c; December, 44¾@44½c; May, 44@44¼c. Oats steady; No. 2 cash, 30½c; December, 34c; May, 31½c; No. 2 white, 32½@33c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 13.—Wheat, December, $1 13⅝@1 13½; May, $1 13⅝@1 13⅝; No. 1 hard, $1 17⅜; No. 1 northern, $

COST OF PRINTING GREATLY REDUCED

Superintendent of State Printing Shows Saving of More Than $100,000.

REASONS FOR THE REDUCTION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
HARRISBURG, PA., Oct. 13.

Gov. Pennypacker's action in refusing to sanction the publication of useless state documents and insisting on the elimination of all extraneous and irrelevant matter from the state publications has resulted in a saving to the commonwealth of thousands of dollars.

The annual report of Superintenent of Public Printing Pomeroy, for the year ending June 30, 1904, which was issued today, shows that the cost of paper, printing and binding for the year was $107,108 44 less than the cost for the previous year.

The cost of the paper used last year was $62,246 10 and the cost of the printing and binding, $188,887 70, a total of $251,133 80. The aggregate cost was $85,255 98 less than the corresponding period of two years ago, when the legislature was in session, and less than it has been for the past nine years, with the single exception of 1899-1900.

Supt. Pomeroy, in his report, says: "When the constant increase in the demand for printing and binding caused by the creation of new departments and the large increase in the number of bulletins granted the agricultural department by the act of assembly of 1903, is considered, this material reduction in the cost to the state is most gratifying. In accomplishing this none of the departments of the state government have suffered. They have been granted everything essential to the proper conduct of their offices, but all effort at unnecessary expense has been eliminated and their reports and other publications and miscellaneous printing have not contained those items which add expense without any way benefiting the departments or the public."

In reaching this satisfactory result Mr. Pomeroy says that he has been materially aided by the heads of the departments, to whom he desires to express his thanks, and especially does he desire to thank Gov. Pennypacker for the many excellent suggestions made that have helped to bring about these results.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRIP OF THE AMERICUS CLUB

President Wainwright Sends Out a Letter, Telling of the Program and Urging Large Turnout.

President S. J. Wainwright, Jr., of the Americus club, has sent out a letter to the members telling them of the arrangements made for the trip to New York, where the club will act as escort to Senator Fairbanks, the vice presidential candidate. Secretary Shaw, ex-Secretary Root and George Knight of California, who are to speak at a meeting to be held on the night of October 19. The invitation came from the Republican national committee through W. R. Scott, chairman of the committee on speakers, and was promptly accepted.

In his letter President Wainwright announces that the members will meet at the club house at 8 p. m., October 18, and march from there to Union station. A special train of Pullmans will leave at 10 p. m. Advantageous hotel and railroad rates have been secured. Unless 100 members are in line the trip will be called off. The regulation black suit will be worn, with cape, white high hat, red, white and blue umbrellas and white gloves, the gloves to be furnished by the club. Baggage must be at the club house not later than 8 p. m. The letter closes thus:

The Republican national committee has honored the club by this invitation to act as escort to our fellow member, the next vice president of the United States (Charles W. Fairbanks. Make a little sacrifice to help out New York Republicans and add greater honors to the Americus club by being one of the party.

THOUSANDS OF COLLEGE MEN FOR ROOSEVELT

Clubs Being Organized and a National Convention Will Be Held This Month.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—College men throughout the country are organizing for Roosevelt under the direction of the American Republican College league.

In the eastern states Harvard leads with a membership of 2,000 men, and clubs have been organized at Pennsylvania, Columbia, New York university, Yale, Cornell, Princeton, Syracuse and many other colleges and universities, with memberships ranging from 100 to 1,000. In the western states Michigan has the largest club, with more than 2,100 men, and active clubs have been formed in Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Minnesota, Ohio and at a large number of smaller colleges throughout the west. It is expected that within the next 10 days 200 clubs will be organized representing more than 50,000 voters and 250,000 students. A national convention will be held in Indianapolis October 17 and 18.

Root Argues in Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—The United States supreme court today resumed the hearing of arguments in the Fayerweather will case. Former Secretary of War Root made an argument in behalf of the colleges and universities, beneficiaries under the will.

Retired Capitalist, Aged 67, Kills Himself.

CHICAGO, Oct. 13.—Edmund Burke, 67 years old, a retired capitalist, shot and killed himself at his home.

The Delineator for November.

Those who follow every caprice of fashion, as well as those who have only the usual desire to appear becomingly dressed, will find the November Delineator exceptionally interesting and suggestive, while in the matter of fiction and general literature an equally high standard is maintained. The second part of Richard Le Gallienne's exquisite dream tale, "Post, Take Thy Lute!" contains some inimitable lyrics, and there is also a curious tale of the western coast by Ethel Watts Mumford, and a short story by Dane Coolidge, "Lone Turkey of Pinal," containing many elements of interest and originality. W. Jay Mills has procured the material for a most interesting chronicle of the social events and personages of old New York, which is given in this number of the magazine and illustrated with photographs never before published. W. G. Fitz-Gerald tells the story of the trials and heroism of the woman missionary abroad in an article that is graphically illustrated, and the romance of Mozart and his Constance is related in the "Composers'" series. Dress in its relation to health is discussed by Dr. Grace Peckham Murray, and there is a delightful paper in the "Joy of Living" series, while for the young people Clara Morris, Ada Marie Peck and Albert Bigelow Paine contribute pleasant and instructive reading. The interests of the home are treated thoroughly, with regard for the special demands of the Thanksgiving season.

Comfortable Trips for All To World's Fair by Day or Night Pennsylvania Through Trains.

Low-fare 15-day and longer limit excursion tickets to St. Louis sold daily at Pennsylvania ticket offices, good on six through trains. Seven-day $12 round trip tickets to St. Louis for through coaches Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays.

Divinest melody in most dignified expression, by Mr. DAMROSCH and orchestra at EXPOSITION.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
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PRESIDENT WRITES TO THE NEWSBOYS

Sends Letter to Be Published in First Issue of Their Magazine.

CABINET MEMBERS INTERESTED

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Oct. 13.

Realizing the important factor which the American newsboy has become in the life of this country, many prominent persons in this city and throughout the country have organized to help the little fellows help themselves. A magazine is to be published in their behalf, the profits of which will partly accrue to them as a compensation for their work, while the rest will be applied to start a bank account for the youngsters, trustees being appointed in all the large cities for this purpose. The attempt to give the little venders of newspapers and magazines a start in life is being followed with great interest by President Roosevelt. The president has written an article, which will appear in the first number to be issued this fall. It is as follows:

Through the Newsboys' Magazine, I greet the American newsboys. I have been particularly interested in the movement which this magazine symbolizes and I earnestly wish for it all success. We ought all of us to sympathize with every American man or boy who is brave and self-helpful, and who tries to do his duty by himself and others; but we must sympathize even more with the boy than with the man. I feel it speaks well for the future of our country that there should be a movement such as this. I believe in you, boys, because you are trying to make your way in the world and at the same time trying to help others, and to retain your self-respect, as you only can retain it, if you show respect for others. I think you have those traits which we like to consider characteristically American—the traits of being brave and manly and honest. Keep in mind that you have got to be truthful; that you must possess undaunted courage; that you must be able manfully to fight your own way in the world, but that it is your duty always to be just and generous to others, no less than to remember your own rights, and while able to stand up for yourselves, you must also be willing to help the weak when the chance comes.

Very truly yours,
THEODORE ROOSEVELT.

All the members of the cabinet are honorary vice presidents of the magazine company, and among the prominent women vice presidents are Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks, Mrs. Daniel Lamont, Mrs. John G. Carlisle and Mrs. Mary Scott Townsend.

PRAYERS FOR MR. ROOSEVELT.

African Methodist Conference at Uniontown Pleads for His Re-Election to the Presidency.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Oct. 13.—(Special.)—The following telegram from President Roosevelt was received today by Bishop W. B. Derrick, who is presiding at the Pittsburgh district African Methodist Episcopal conference here: "I thank you cordially and appreciate your telegram. Please convey my greetings to the conference."

The telegram was sent in response to one from Bishop Derrick, notifying President Roosevelt that a resolution indorsing his course and praying for his election had been adopted by the conference. The resolution was introduced by the Rev. H. C. C. Astwood of Scranton and adopted amid enthusiasm.

A meeting was held tonight, when the Rev. J. G. Xaba, presiding elder in South Africa; the Rev. R. A. Seaty, presiding elder in the Barbadoes, West Indies, and the Rev. C. M. Tanner of South Africa, made addresses. The following transfers were announced: Dr. C. M. Tanner from South Africa and the Revs. T. Taggart and L. Pierce from North Ohio conference.

SAVAGE COMPANY'S TRIUMPH.

Presents Puccini's Italian Masterpiece for First Time in English Language.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Music lovers packed the Montauk theater in Brooklyn tonight to hear Puccini's modern Italian masterpiece, "La Boheme," sung in English by the Savage Grand Opera Company.

The opera sparkles with lyric and dramatic beauties and the English singing artists scored a decided triumph. "La Boheme" is the novelty in the repertory of this organization this season and will be one of the most attractive bills wherever the company is heard. Those in the cast especially favored were Gertrude Rennyson as the waif, "Mimi," Marion Ivel as the Parisian coquette, "Musetta," and Joseph Sheehan, Winifred Goff, Francis Doyle and Harrison Bennet, as the art students.

Want Stock Listed Here.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Underground Electric Railway Company of London, Ltd., has applied to the New York stock exchange to list $16,550,000 5 per cent profit-sharing secured notes of 1908.

Pittsburgher Reads Paper.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 13.—A paper was read today before the convention of the National Association of Life Underwriters by Charles W. Scovel of Pittsburgh.

ESSIG GUARDED BY DETECTIVES

Complainant Against Weinseimer Beaten by Three Men--Receives Threatening Letters.

EVIDENCE IS SENSATIONAL

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Oct. 13.

During the course of the trial of "Phil" Weinseimer in part II. of general sessions court, before Judge Newburger, today, it was learned that the presence of the complainant, George J. Essig, was assured only by the fact that for weeks he has been guarded by detectives from the district attorney's office. Since the day that Weinseimer was arrested Essig has been a marked man, and threatened with violence if he persisted in his intention to testify in the present trial.

Essig paid no attention to the warnings and three weeks ago, while on his way to his office, was set upon and severely beaten by three men, who used brass faucets. The men were unknown to him. Anonymous letters, threatening him with bodily violence and the destruction of his business followed, with the result that when he complained to Assistant District Attorney Rand, the latter cautioned silence, but detailed detectives to protect him. After his sensational story at yesterday's hearing a stricter watch than ever was maintained. Detective George B. Hammond and an assistant accompanied him to his home and remained on guard during the night.

Weinseimer's counsel ridicule the story and say that if Essig was threatened it was not by friends of their client or with his knowledge.

Essig, on the witness stand today, told of his alleged dealings with Weinseimer, claiming that he paid the defendant $2,700 for calling off a strike. The last payment, he said, was made in Weinseimer's office in marked bills, the day the labor leader was arrested. After the transaction had been completed and while they were going down in the elevator from Weinseimer's office, Essig said, Weinseimer turned to him and said: "I've got a lot of friends and if anything happens they will make the people responsible sweat for it. I can use a gun as well as anyone else."

Essig said Weinseimer was very much excited at the time and before the elevator had reached the lower floor again turned to his companion and said: "You know that you are as guilty as I am."

When they stepped from the elevator detectives were at hand, and at a nod from Essig they placed Weinseimer under arrest.

"NONE OTHER BEFORE ME."

Kaiser Puts His Foot on Literary Ambitions of German Officers of the Army.

BERLIN, Oct. 13.—(Special Cable.)—Lieutenant Hemmann, who, tempted by the fortune made by Lieutenant Bilse some time ago, wrote a book entitled "Carrie's Letters to Her Friend. Experiences of an American girl in a Small Prussian Garrison," will now have to go to prison, as the military court of appeals has confirmed the sentence imposed upon him last month by a court-martial for libelling his superior officers and for conduct unworthy of a German officer.

It is generally understood that the kaiser, who is highly incensed at the many criticisms by German army officers, will do everything within his power to put an end to the literary ambition of officers, and he used his influence with the court to confirm the sentence imposed upon Lieutenant Hemmann.

Gen. Burton Favors Canteen.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 13.—Brig.-Gen. C. H. Burton, in his annual report as inspector general, to the secretary of war, asserts that the canteen would be of great moral benefit to the army.

Houses Supplied at a Minimum Cost.

It is impossible for a man to do justice to his daily work and be worried at the same time by house-hunting. If you want to buy or rent a house, why not have the men with houses for sale and to rent come to you. They are as anxious to find you as you are to find them. Would it not be easier to look over and pick one from a few previously culled from a large list thus obtained than it is to go at the matter haphazard by trying to look over all the houses and streets in the city. They will come to you if you tell your wants in THE GAZETTE.

For the small price of one cent a word we will tell what you want once, or we will tell it seven times for the price of six.

The Wabash Officials Win fight at C. P. A. Meeting

The passenger officials of the local railroads who attended the monthly meeting of the Central Passenger association returned home yesterday. The Wabash railroad occupied considerable attention at the meeting. The fight was over the short-line fares to Omaha, Council Bluffs and other places. The Wabash started short-line fares, booked via St. Louis, in order to capture some of the business that was going to the middle west. The association wants to stop the practice since it has been reducing fares, but the Wabash officials, alive to the interest of the company they represent, would not allow the competing lines to dictate rates for the Wabash. The question caused a lengthy debate and the Wabash officials, as heretofore, when important questions have come up bearing directly upon that road, came out victorious. Other business transacted at the meeting was the adjustment of the Christmas and New Year's holiday rates. Reduced rates were also authorized for the presidential inauguration ceremonies.

Another P. R. R. Official to Retire.

On February 1 the Pennsylvania railroad will retire from its service another of its leading officials on account of the rules of the pension department. George Wilkins, general agent for the company in Baltimore, will on that date have attained the age of 70 years. He was born in England and came to this country when quite young. He entered the railroad service with the Missouri Pacific as engineer, but soon changed to the position of civil war he took service with the Pennsylvania. He was later made superintendent of the Baltimore division. He was then promoted to general superintendent and in 1883 general agent, which position he still fills.

Made Additional Appropriations.

The directors of the Pennsylvania railroad met Thursday. The directors made about 20 additional appropriations for the completion of work now under way and for which the funds previously set aside had been exhausted. No action was taken on orders for equipment or steel rails. It is understood the company will order 40,000 tons of rails for next year. These, with last year's order, all of which has not been utilized, is considered sufficient to meet demands.

P. R. R. Employe 39 Years.

Capt. H. H. Mangles, through baggagemaster on the Pennsylvania limited, yesterday rounded out his thirty-ninth year as an employe of the company. During his railroad career he has traveled through every state in the union. His most remarkable experience occurred one night while crossing the Allegheny mountains. He had charge of an express car in which was a large elephant belonging to a circus. During the trip the animal broke loose and for a while Mangles thought he would never end the trip alive.

New Bridge for B. & O.

Work has been started by the B. & O. on the construction of a steel bridge across Pine creek at Etna to replace the wooden one. The old structure was dangerous, especially in time of floods. The new bridge will have a stone foundation and will be so built that water will not effect it.

Railroad Notes.

S. F. Core, stationmaster of the Ft. Wayne in Allegheny, has returned from a trip to Kentucky.

According to reports of local passenger officials the tourist travel out of this territory the past season was the heaviest in the history of the roads.

The Pennsylvania railroad is spending, over $200,000 for the comfort of the employes at the new round house at Altoona. The toilet and locker room has been doubled in size. The new apartment will contain two reading rooms, with five sleeping rooms and six shower baths, in Italian marble.

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Cumb., Wash. & Balt	* 1.00 pm	* 2.45 pm
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